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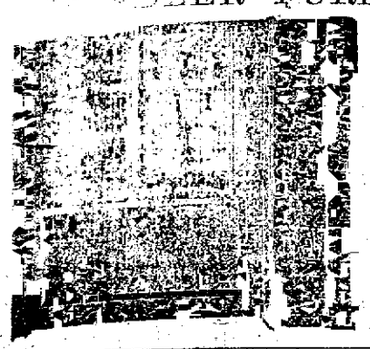

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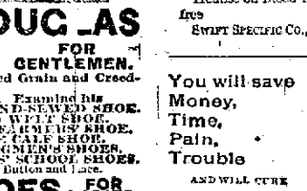

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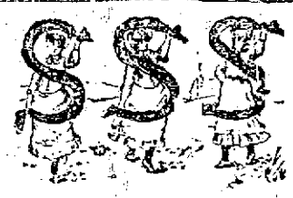

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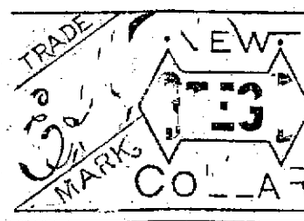

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UNABLE TO GIVE THE FINISH BLOW

The Australian Terribly Battered and Swollen—Though Hardly Able to Stand, He Refuses to Yield, and is Dragged Away.

How? The nonpareil!—*Shakespeare.*

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—Over 2000 enthusiastic spectators assembled at the gymnasium of the California Athletic Club to-night to witness the great battle of the middle-weight, Jack Dempsey and Billy McCarthy. The sporting community had looked forward to this contest with the greatest interest for the past two months. Nearly every man who saw Dempsey go down before La Blanche last August, was anxious that the Nonpareil should be given an opportunity to retrieve his lost honors and be placed as nearly as possible on the same footing he held when he was an undefeated man. La Blanche would not consent to a return match for the present, and the most available man, therefore, to match against Dempsey was the Australian middle-weight champion McCarthy.

When the California club first made the match between Dempsey and McCarthy it was generally regarded here that the Nonpareil would have a very easy game. This opinion soon changed, however, chiefly to discouraging reports of Dempsey's health, and which seemed to have some foundation, as Dempsey was not well enough to fight last month on the date for which the match was originally set, and it was necessary to postpone the contest until to-night. Dempsey's health has improved, however, in the last few weeks, and when the day for the fight arrived he announced himself in perfect condition. The betting was generally in his favor, about the largest odds being $100 to $50. McCarthy injured his hand a few weeks ago while wrestling and his friends expressed some fear on this account, but the hand seemed to have recovered entirely on the day of the fight.

Hiram Cook was appointed referee. Jack McAuliffe and Denny Kellet were behind Dempsey and Jimmie Carroll, and Paddy Gorman second McCarthy. The conditions of the contest were that the men should weigh under 158 pounds, and when they appeared in the ring to-night, McCarthy was a little under that figure and Dempsey a few pounds lighter than his adversary.

It was after 9 o'clock when the principals stepped into the ring. Both received rousing cheers. McCarthy was plainly the heavier, but Dempsey had a great advantage in sight and reach. The weights were announced as follows: Dempsey, 147½; McCarthy, 149½. President Fulda announced that the stakes had just been deposited, the gloves which had been prepared for the contest had been tampered with, and it would take some time to fix them. Nearly half an hour was consumed in this way before the men were ready to face each other. Time was called at 9:30.

First round—Both men came to the center of the ring quickly. Dempsey led with his left and caught McCarthy lightly on the chin. McCarthy watched closely for an opening and led out several times, but Dempsey dodged. The Australian seemed inclined to force the matter, but was able to accomplish nothing.

Second round—Dempsey caught McCarthy savagely in the face twice, then gave him a terrific right-hander in the body. McCarthy attempted to return it, but Dempsey got away. McCarthy landed lightly on Jack's neck, and the round closed with several points in Jack's favor.

Third round—McCarthy caught another left-hander in the chin, which Dempsey followed up with a good blow on the body and repeated this a moment later. Just as the round closed the Australian struck Dempsey hard in the wind and received a hot one on the forehand in return.

Fourth round—McCarthy followed Dempsey cleverly, but the Nonpareil, watched his opportunity and his left soon found the Australian's neck and half a dozen times without return.

Fifth round—Dempsey again found McCarthy's body, and got a sharp rap on the ear from the latter's right. McCarthy then made a savage rush and struck Dempsey twice on the ear, hard.

Sixth round—McCarthy opened the round with a vicious upper cut which failed, and then walked to his own corner slowly, followed by Dempsey. The men sparred a moment and then Dempsey repeated his attacks on his opponent's body and landed heavily three times. McCarthy seemed a little flurried as the round closed, amid applause for Dempsey.

Seventh round—Dempsey led out strong, but McCarthy showed wonderful quickness in getting away. Dempsey's left landed on his jaw several times, and just before the round closed McCarthy returned it with a right-hander on the cheek.

Eighth round—McCarthy led out savagely with his right and struck Dempsey heavily on the ear. He tried it a second time and almost fell to the floor as Dempsey jumped away. Dempsey then planted his right hand on McCarthy's wind, which caused the latter to double over.

Ninth round—Dempsey again scored on McCarthy's throat and body, and received a terrific left-hander on his stomach. McCarthy gained applause by turning around quickly and catching Dempsey a smart back-hand blow on the nose.

Tenth round—Dempsey continued to hammer away for McCarthy's wind and, brought a very audible grunt from him several times. McCarthy's attacks were wicked, but the Nonpareil was too quick for him until near the end of the round, when McCarthy planted a good left-hander just above the stomach.

Eleventh round—Both men seemed to be as strong as at the start.

Twelfth round—McCarthy repeated his turning blow in this round, and again caught Dempsey on the nose. He made several savage lunges, but fell short and received a short-arm jab on the chin.

Thirteenth round—Dempsey aimed a wicked blow for McCarthy's neck, but the latter saved himself by a neat duck. An exchange of short-arm blows and several clinches followed.

Fourteenth round—Dempsey landed a swinging left-hander on McCarthy's jaw, followed with a hard one in the stomach and another in the neck. A second one in the stomach doubled the Australian over.

Fifteenth round—Dempsey led for McCarthy's neck twice and reached it lightly. McCarthy made a left-hand swing at Dempsey's head, but Dempsey was not there.

Sixteenth round—This was the live-est round up to this time, and when it closed there were loud cheers for Dempsey. He landed on the Australian's body and jaw about as he pleased. The latter's eyes and cheeks began to puff up, and when the round closed he was evidently groggy.

Dempsey repeated this punishment in the seventeenth, and though he staggered McCarthy with the blows he rained on his neck, he was not able to score a knock-down.

Eighteenth round—McCarthy seemed somewhat distressed, but continued to lead out for Dempsey's jaw. The only punishment he received during the round was a short right-hander under the arm.

Nineteenth round—McCarthy scored with his left on Dempsey's mouth, and received a rap on the chin which knocked him back a few feet.

Twentieth round—Very little was done. Dempsey reached McCarthy's ribs once or twice, but the blows were light.

Twenty-first round—McCarthy struck Dempsey between the eyes with his left. Dempsey gave him a vicious uppercut as the round closed.

Twenty-second round—Dempsey's right again fell heavily on the Australian's neck and ribs. The latter turned complete around and struck Dempsey heavily on the stomach, receiving in return a terrific jab on the chin, which almost sent the Australian off his feet.

Twenty-third round—McCarthy continued to fight stubbornly, but Dempsey by his quick movements cleared himself from blows aimed at his face and body and was able to rap his antagonist hard before the round closed.

Dempsey again doubled McCarthy over in the twenty-fourth by a savage right hand blow just above the stomach, but when McCarthy recovered he reached the back of Dempsey's neck with a heavy right hand swing.

DEMPSEY BEGINS THE KNOCKOUT.

Little of nothing was done in the twenty-fifth round, but in the twenty-sixth Dempsey went in in earnest to finish his man. Three or four terrific right and left hand blows on the Australian's neck made the latter exceedingly groggy, and then Dempsey hit him when and where he pleased. McCarthy staggered around the ring like a drunken man, and though Dempsey continued to rain blows on his neck, he kept his feet till the Nonpareil, in pity for his victim, asked him to give up. McCarthy refused, and as the round was about to close Dempsey would not punish him any more, but took him by the arm and led him to his corner, amid cheers.

DEMPSEY FINISHES HIS VICTIM.

McCarthy came forward in the twenty-seventh just able to stand on his feet. A blow in the face sent him to the floor. He arose, blood streaming from his nose and mouth, and Dempsey again sent him down. McCarthy rose a second time and Dempsey begged him to give up. McCarthy still refused, and Dempsey struck him lightly and he fell a third time but rose in eight seconds. More entreaties from Dempsey met with refusal from the Australian to give up, and Dempsey knocked him down a fourth time. He struggled to his feet in time to save a knockout and the round closed. While McCarthy was led to his corner, covered with blood, loud cries were heard all over the house asking him to give up the fight.

When the gong sounded for the twenty-eighth McCarthy staggered to the center of the ring and Dempsey implored him to give up. The wildest excitement prevailed all over the building. Mingled cries of "Knock him out, Jack," and "Give it up, McCarthy," were heard everywhere. The Australian still refused to acknowledge himself defeated, and Dempsey beat him into his corner and sent him down in a heap. He arose again and leaned against the ropes for support.

DEMPSEY'S HEART FAILS HIM.

Dempsey walked up to finish him, but his compassion for the pitiable object before him was too much for the Nonpareil, so he stepped up to the referee and declared that he had not the heart to punish the man any further. Just then Paddy Gorman, McCarthy's second, broke into the ring and dragged his principal over to his corner and refused to permit him to stay in the fight longer. Dempsey was accordingly declared the winner, amid loud cheers from the 2000 men who admired his compassion for his game antagonist.

Spokane Police Forbid a Prizefight.

SPOKANE FALLS, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—Jerry Flowers, colored, and Professor William J. Kenneall, well known heavy-weights, were matched to fight with two-ounce gloves to-night for $250 a side. Captain of Police Martin and a squad, acting under instructions from the mayor, appeared in the hall where the fight was to take place shortly before the rise of the curtain and forbade the men to enter the ring under penalty of arrest. As the fight is more for blood than money, it will take place in private in a few days.

MILLIONS IN SUGAR TRUST STOCK.

How the Havemeyers, Aided by the Courts, Worked the Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—During last year sugar trust certificates rose from $70 to $126, fell to $50 and rose again to $70. In forecasting prices the actions of the Havemeyers, who own all $26,000,000 out of $50,000,000 of the certificates, are closely watched. Wall street, and now it is understood they sold out the whole sixteen millions of certificates last summer at from $120 to $125 per share and did not begin buying them back until a few days ago. The buying and selling were managed by a famous operator, and it would seem that he has made for the Havemeyers one of the most gigantic "rakes" on record, showing a profit of something like $6,000,000.

After the Havemeyers sold out the price of certificates fell to about $90, which was a fair figure, in view of the large earnings of the trust. From that they fell to $50. During the recent litigation the Havemeyers were unwilling to repurchase until the decision of Judge O'Brien last Tuesday relieved them of fear that payment of dividends would be enjoined, and gave assurance that the suit of the North River Refinery receiver would not be pressed to a receivership. Then they began to buy back. This is the cause of the sharp advance in the last four days. The court of appeals will in April hear arguments on the question whether the trust may legally continue to exist in its present form. If the decision be adverse the charters of the various companies in the trust will be surrendered and the properties reorganized in accordance with the laws of the state.

THE REFINERY SEIZED.

Monday evening, when Mr. Reddy took possession of the refinery, the agents were taken by surprise and gave up the fort. This morning, however they recovered their wits, and when Reddy's men appeared at the refinery they were told they had no business there and were refused admittance. Mr. Reddy hastened to Judge Wallace and procured an order for the sheriff to put him in possession. With the aid of the sheriff's authority and the presence of several stalwart deputies Receiver Reddy again took possession. He placed several men in the refinery building on Union and Battery streets and put men in charge of Havemeyer & Elder's office, at No. 128 California street, and the American Sugar Refinery office, at No. 220 California street. Mr. Mait, Havemeyer & Elder's agent, protested vigorously, but to no purpose. Receiver Reddy's man was put in charge of the office, with instructions to allow nothing to be taken from it. The refinery people made another effort to displace Mr. Reddy, and then secured the writ of prohibition.

William Pierson, who prosecuted the case against the refinery, said that the writ would have no immediate effect. Mr. Reddy would continue in possession till March 3, when the case would be argued before the supreme court and decided finally. Receiver Reddy said he would run off the sugar in the vats of the refinery and would then close the establishment down. Attorneys for the refinery people have already appealed the case to the supreme court and have asked for a new trial. If that is refused by Judge Wallace, then they will undoubtedly appeal from his order also.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—A temporary writ of prohibition was granted to-day to Theodore A. Havemeyer et al., by the supreme court, prohibiting Superior Judge Wallace, either through Patrick Reddy, receiver of the court, or otherwise, from taking possession of the property of the American Sugar Refinery under the decree of forfeiture of the charter. March 3 was fixed as the day for respondent to show cause why the prohibition should not be made perpetual.

A STARCH TRUST FORMED.

It Owns All the Factories—Leather Trust Locks Out Employes.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 18.—On Saturday the National Starch Manufacturing Company was incorporated in Covington under the Kentucky law. It owns all the starch factories in the United States.

WOBURN, Mass., Feb. 18.—Members of the Manufacturers' Association have decided to close every leather factory represented in the association to-morrow, and to keep them closed until the men return to work at the factory of Boyce & Cobb. This means the enforced idleness of 1500 men.

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Pullman reservations made for all points East via the Northern Pacific railroad, the vestibuled sleeper and dining-car line. Office, No. 121 First street, cor. Washington

NEWS OF TWO STATES

Seattle Railroad Stockholders Ask for a Receiver.

FRAUD AND INSOLVENCY ALLEGED

Farmer Scott and His Son Suspected of the Wheatland Murder.

A NEW INQUEST TO BE HELD

Accidental Drowning Near La Camas—Spokane Falls Gamblers and Prize Fighters Get of Favor With the Authorities.

SPOKANE FALLS, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—Bondholders of the Seattle, Lake Shore & Eastern Railway Company applied to-day for an injunction against delivery of any more of the bonds and stock of that company to the Seattle & Eastern Construction Company, for the appointment of a receiver for the property of both companies, and a decree declaring the construction contract between the companies to be fraudulent and void. The complaint, which is very long, gives a detailed history of the relations between the two corporations, makes an exhibit of the construction contract, and sets forth, with great particularity the circumstances which are claimed to be conclusive evidence of fraud. It declares the railway company to be completely in the hands and under the control of the construction company, which uses its power not to forward the building of the road, but to absorb the property and securities of the railway company. It alleges that both companies are insolvent. It is also alleged that the construction company is still keeping in its possession and operating for its own profit the Spokane division of the road, notwithstanding that it was fully paid for construction of it more than a year ago.

Judge Blake after considering the allegations of the complainants granted a restraining order as prayed for, and set down the application for a receiver for hearing next Tuesday. Two weeks ago Burns & Chapman, contractors, made application in the same court for the appointment of a receiver for the Seattle & Eastern Construction Co. alleging its insolvency. A hearing was then set for February 15th, upon which date it was continued until March 12th.

THE FAMHILL MURDER.

Suspicion Points Strongly to Farmer Scott and His Son.

SALEM, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—News comes from Wheatland this evening that the coroner had returned to Wm. Scott's farm with an attorney and a detective and had impaneled a second coroner's jury and was holding another inquest. The father and son have been shadowed since Sunday evening, and suspicions are growing that the murder of old Mrs. Scott was committed jointly by the father and son. It is confidently expected that the finding of this jury will recommend the detention of the suspected parties.

NEWS FROM VANCOUVER.

Ordinance Defeated.

VANCOUVER, Feb. 18.—Arthur Proebstel was drowned in La Camas creek yesterday, while rafting logs. The funeral took place to-day at Fourth Plain.

Sheriff Fleming left here to-day for Steilacoom with Miss Lesa Dahl, of Cedar creek, who was adjudged insane.

The city council met last night. The ordinance prohibiting cattle from running at large within city limits was laid over. An ordinance closing saloons at 11 o'clock, sharp, coming up on its final passage, was killed, as was expected by many citizens, who were of the opinion that the early hour of closing fixed by the ordinance would render it a dead letter in the community. The committee on streets, which had been instructed to take into consideration the laying of sidewalks in all the streets of the city, though not ready for a complete report on the subject, reported in favor of the measure from First to (and including) Thirteenth streets. Mr. Bradner was elected engineer.

YOUNG SALTMARSH DYING.

His Wife, Whom He Tried to Murder, Sits at His Bedside.

ALBANY, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—George Saltmarsh, who attempted suicide last night by shooting himself in the head with a revolver, is still alive. Part of his brains was blown out, and his physician thinks he cannot recover. His young wife, whose wound, inflicted by her husband is slight, has been by his bedside all day.

NEWS FROM SALEM.

Insane From Religion—The Portland Barrender Not Indicted.

SALEM, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—A. J. Klock, aged 46, from Stayton, a native of New York, was brought to the asylum to-day. He is crazy over religion.

The grand jury discharged to-day returned the most voluminous report ever made by a jury in this or neighboring counties. They examined all the state and county buildings and institutions, and among other things condemned Salem's city jail. They commended the management and condition of the asylum and penitentiary and made a few recommendations of minor importance.

Not a true bill was returned against E. A. Johnson, the Portland bartender, it not having been a clear assault upon the Wanless woman.

News From Eugene.

EUGENE, Feb. 18.—[Special Correspondence.]—The latest returns from distant parts of the county show the actual losses in bridges and roads destroyed aggregate over $53,000.

Eugene was protected by the railroad fill, which lies between it and the river, from any damage worth mentioning. It is now expected that the city authorities will provide a thorough sewerage system to the westward, which will carry off all surface water. Such a system will cost about $35,000.

The teachers' institute for this county will meet in Eugene.

Mrs. E. P. Sladden and wife, who were detained in California for several weeks by the blockade, arrived home last Saturday, having returned to San Francisco and come up by steamer.

Travel between Eugene and the western part of the county has been almost entirely suspended for the last two weeks. Mr. O. Boomhower came in from Florence last Saturday, but reported no further damage than has been formerly mentioned, and that the prospects for a good season's improvement in the various industries of the bay are very good.

Union County Prisoners Break Jail.

LA GRANDE, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—Robert Wild and Frank Winsten were convicted of larceny from a dwelling during the term of court now in session at Union, and yesterday the court pronounced sentence of one and one-half years each. Sentence was pronounced at about 1:30 in the afternoon, and the prisoners were immediately taken back to jail. The sheriff, O. N. Hamilton, and deputies and the bailiffs were very busy in assisting to expedite the business of the court. One of the deputies was in the jail at 6 o'clock P. M. and found everything in good condition. At 6 P. M. Sheriff Hamilton went to the jail and found his birds had flown. It was found that the prisoners had escaped by sawing their way out, having evidently been furnished with implements from the outside.

News From LaGrande.

LA GRANDE, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—Mr. Antonelle, of the firm of Antonelle & Doe, contractors on the Elgin branch of the Union Pacific, was in the city the latter part of last and the first of this week, and while here was making arrangements to commence work on their contract at once. They have advertised for 500 men and 200 teams, to commence on March 1. The engineer corps of the Union Pacific railroad will be here in a few days, to remain in the field until the work is completed.

The city council at its last meeting appropriated $2000, to be used in boring an artesian well. This move was decided upon at the request of a number of citizens of LaGrande, expressed by a petition. The object is to try to secure a good supply of pure water for city purposes. One of

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the greatest needs of the city is pure, wholesome water. LaGrande has a system of water works, but the matter of the right of the company to take the water is in litigation, and even if the right of the water company is sustained the quantity is not considered sufficient and the quality is not the best. There is a good prospect of still greater complication of the litigation against the present water company.

News From Ellensburgh.

ELLENSBURGH, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—The committee having charge of the reorganization of the Ellensburgh Board of Trade has secured the names of 130 business men this afternoon, and the new board starts out under the most flattering auspices. All cheerfully pay an initiation fee of $5 and monthly dues of the same amount.

The city council has placed the new Electric and Cable Company under $10,000 bonds to begin the work of construction in thirty days and have the line in active operation within four months.

The warehouse and outfitting houses of Ellensburgh are preparing for a big trade with the Okanogan mines and the Big Bend and Lake Cheelum country. The mines have been successfully developed during the winter, and a large amount of drill and concentrating machinery will be shipped this spring.

News From Walla Walla.

WALLA WALLA, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—The engagement of Lieut. John S. Winn, Second cavalry, U. S. A., and Miss Grace, daughter of Asa Negrove, of this city, is announced.

Superintendent Burroughs, of the gas company, is quite ill, and has been ordered to take a vacation and go to California.

Judge Willard Crawford, of Athena, for a long time sick in the hospital, has gone home, and expects to return here to reside.

Colonel Pike offers a handsome silver medal to the non-commissioned officer that produces the largest number of recruits for the National Guard this year.

Stepine Boomers Misrepresent a Senator.

SPOKANE FALLS, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—Among the dispatches from Olympia yesterday was a statement alleged to have been made by Hulbert, a lobbyist working in the interest of the Stepine county bill, to the effect that Senator E. C. van Houten, of Spokane, was a supporter of the bill. In an interview here to-day the latter emphatically denied that he favors the bill, stating that he is heartily opposed to it, and that it will be beaten in the senate.

Spokane Labor Trouble.

SPOKANE FALLS, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—A meeting of the carpenters was held to-night, at which there were present many capitalists and contractors. A committee of three carpenters, three contractors and two capitalists were appointed to arbitrate on labor differences, which have of late threatened to become serious.

Spokane Gambling Hells Raided Again.

SPOKANE FALLS, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—The gamblers were again raided to-night by the Law and Order League. The doors were broken in with axes and every player, as well as the gamblers, was arrested.

A YOUTH KILLS A PREACHER.

Revenge for a Whipping Received When He Was a Schoolboy.

FRANKFORT, KY., Feb. 18.—A 19-year-old youth named Booth assaulted and killed Rev. Michael Whisman, near Compton, yesterday. Whisman once punished Booth when the latter was a schoolboy, and Booth never forgave the fancied wrong.

CALIFORNIA NEWS ITEMS.

The Schooner Rosalind Lost.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—The schooner Rosalind has gone ashore three miles north of Rogue river, and is a total loss. She left here January 26 for Coos bay, to return with a cargo of lumber for the Simpson Lumber Company. The schooner was in command of Captain L. A. Ballister, a part owner. The vessel went ashore in a gale January 29, three days after she sailed. The crew, ten in number, took to the boats and reached shore safely. Subsequent trips were made to the stranded vessel, and everything of value which could be removed was taken off. The men were sent to Rogue river with a letter from the captain appraising the partners of the loss of the schooner. The letter was forwarded to this city from Ellensburgh. The Rosalind was a schooner of 265.36 gross tonnage, length, 122 feet, breadth of beam, 32.6 feet, and depth of hold, 9.6 feet. She was built at Port Blakely, Wash., in 1888. Simpson Brothers were handling the vessels for the estate of Thomas Walsh, which owned the largest portion of her.

Drunkard Brutally Murders Another.

SANTA ROSA, Cal., Feb. 18.—One of the most brutal and cowardly murders ever committed in this county took place at Windsor, a little town eight miles north of this city, last evening. Richard Loulson and George Bruggy had been carousing around among saloons all day. Both were drunk, and Bruggy, who is a powerful man, wanted to fight Loulson, but the latter kept out of his reach. Loulson went into a card room, and Bruggy waited in the main room of the saloon. When his victim came out of the little room Bruggy grabbed him around the neck, placed the muzzle of a revolver back of the ear with his right hand and pulled the trigger. Death resulted instantly. Bruggy was brought to the county jail late last night.

Old Virginia City Saloonkeeper Dead.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram]—Grant Israel, an oldtime mining operator and well known to residents of Virginia City, Nev., died suddenly at his residence here this morning, of heart disease. Deceased came early to the Pacific coast and was in the stage business at Marysville with Frank Stevens and James Hayworth. He was in the same business in Sacramento. He went to the Comstock in 1874, and opened a saloon on O street, which is now known as the Crystal saloon. He made large sums of money in all the big mining deals and had corresponding periods of loss. It is said he cleared up $100,000 profit in the Sierra Nevada deal.

Clara Belle McDonald's Stock.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—Senator Leland Stanford has filed an answer to Dr. R. H. McDonald, denying that Mrs. McDonald has any right or title to the 250 shares of original Central Pacific railway stock that McDonald sues to recover from him, and avers that the stock is not worth more than $1000, although McDonald puts their value at $112,100, and although respondent purchased the shares from Clara Belle McDonald for $110,000. Stanford also pleads the statute of limitations.

Senator Fair's Faithless Servant.

WOODLAND, Cal., Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—The trial of H. J. Palmer, charged with embezzlement, was resumed this afternoon. Senator Fair was called to the witness stand and gave testimony concerning the stock on his ranch, of which Palmer was overseer. Charles Neal also testified concerning the stock and the manner in which accounts were kept. Just before adjournment Mr. Palmer began testifying in his own behalf.

California Pioneer Killed.

SELMA, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—This morning D. B. Stephens, a pioneer and well-known lumber dealer of this place, while crossing a track in front of an approaching train, was struck by an engine and hurled some distance and killed.

Held for Murder.

GILROY, Feb. 18.—W. M. Paine was held to-day by Judge Willey, without bonds, to answer the charge of murder of Edward Maxfield. Application for bail will be made to-morrow.

California Pioneer Dead.

HEALDSBURG, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—John D. Grant, ex-supervisor and pioneer of this county, died at his home near here to-day of paralysis.

Where the Leak Was.

Chicago Tribune.

Mr. Billus (looking over his expense account)—Maria, we spent exactly $50 more than our income last year. We've got to retrench.

Mrs. Billus—It wasn't my fault, John, I didn't lose $75 on the election, nor pay out $40 in club dues, nor spend $65 for cigars, nor run through with $120 in three days at the races, nor endorse a note for $200 for a mere acquaintance and lose it, nor—

Mr. Billus (still looking through the expense account)—None of these things account for that $50. By Jove! Here it is! "Subscription for pastor's salary, $50!" Maria, we can't stand that! The preacher will have to get along without anything from me this year.

The Two Games.

Texas Siftings.

Little Johnnie—Le's play stage robber. You come along and I'll spring out with a pistol and take away everything you've got.

Little Jimmie—But we haven't got no pistol nor nuth'n like a stage! Tell you what; when you come along I'll get you to sign a paper and then I can rob you just the same without a pistol.

"All right; we'll play 'loan agent' if you like it better."

Last Rights for Bishop O'Connor.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 18.—Rev. Father Ward, chaplain of Mercy hospital, to-day administered the last rites to Bishop O'Connor of Omaha. All hope of the bishop's recovery has been abandoned, but a consultation of prominent Philadelphia physicians with Pittsburg practitioners will be held to-night.

Death of a Millionaire.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 18.—Charles J. Harrah, a millionaire Brazilian railroad contractor, died here to-night.

Beecham's Pills act like magic on a weak stomach

The Northern Pacific are now selling first-class limited tickets through to Chicago for $60; second class, $30. These are the lowest rates now in effect.

CARE OF PRINCESSES.

Victoria Has Heaps of Trouble With Her Family.

SOME MISTAKES IN MARRIAGES

The Remaining English Royal Girls Must Have Wedded Husbands—The Prince and Princess of Wales Growing Wrinkled.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—[Dunlap's Cable News.]—The Prince of Wales is reported to be very angry at the paragraph in the papers saying that his second daughter is going to be married. He agreed with the queen, who said after the Osborne house theatricals that something should be done to muzzle the British press. The prince adds that English papers are worse than American, because nothing that they say is true and everything is denied the next day.

Since the marriage of the Princess Victoria and the Duke of Fife, the princesses are allowed more freedom and young noblemen are permitted to call at Marlborough house and to talk and flirt with them. Bouquets and candies enough to stock a store come every day. On Valentine day a hand cart full of valentines was received by the porter. When the princesses drive in the park there is always a cavalcade surrounding them. The princesses say it is a "confounded nuisance" and the Prince of Wales does not like it. It is plain that the object is not marriage, but merely to be seen in the princely circle on terms of intimacy.

Besides, though the prince and princess are fond parents, they both like to be looked upon as young people. The prince is an awkward but indefatigable waltzer, and the princess likes attention as much as ever she did, and both are sensitive to approaching age. The princess has forty wigs, and keeps two special experts to disguise her coming wrinkles and crow's-feet.

Another trouble is where to draw the line of rank. There are not more than half a dozen noblemen in England who could possibly be regarded as worthy suitors, and complications may arise with the crowned families of Europe as to the propriety of royal personages legally marrying below their rank. The courts of Germany, Italy, Prussia and Spain regard the marriage of Fife, Lorne and Battenburg as merely morganitic alliances which causes humiliating incidents when the princesses visit these courts with their husbands. The Marquis of Lorne has been snubbed in every court in Europe, and last year, when the queen was visiting the queen regent of Spain, Prince Henry of Battenburg was forced to give precedence to several Spanish grandees. The queen and Prince of Wales have decided that it is necessary for the safety of the throne that the pale of royalty should be preserved intact. So next season the English court will be made to understand that the princesses are not in the home market, but are reserved for foreign crowned heads. This, however, is for the present carefully suppressed. The Princess Maude of Wales is in love with the handsome young son of an English earl, who was once received graciously by the prince and princess, but now will be advised to travel, probably sent to India, and the Princess Maude is to go for a long visit to a cousin in Athens.

PARNELLITE VICTORIES.

Impossible to Libel O'Shea—A Tory Paper Pays Damages to Campbell.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—The high court of justice has refused to grant the application of Captain O'Shea for an attachment against the *Star* and the London edition of the New York *Herald*, for publishing certain comments relative to the action for divorce brought by O'Shea against his wife, in which Parnell is named as co-respondent. In the case of the *Freeman's Journal*, of Dublin, against which a similar application was made, the court imposed a fine of £100 and costs.

Captain Shea, in his suit for divorce, has filed a supplementary petition in which he extends the period within which the alleged acts of adultery were committed.

DUBLIN, Feb. 18.—Henry Campbell, member of parliament and private secretary to Parnell, was charged in a speech with having provided the knives with which Carendish and Burke were murdered. The speech was published in the Belfast *News Letter*. Campbell brought action for libel against the paper and was to-day awarded £200.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—Maurice Healy, member for Cork city, asked the government in the commons to-day whether, since the refusal of John Daly, a life convict in Chatham prison, to wear the prison dress, Daly's health had begun to fail, he had been treated with enhanced severity. Healy requested that sworn inquiry be made as to Daly's treatment, or that members of the house who desired to investigate the matter be allowed the same access to the prison as allowed the agent of the *Times*.

Matthews, home secretary, said he had no authority to grant the request for a sworn inquiry. He denied the allegations against the prison officials, and said Daly stated that he had no complaint to make of his treatment.

Bannerman, home ruler, resumed the debate on the address. He summed up the case against the government by declaring that it had wilfully resorted to coercion when coercion had proved to be worse than useless.

Balfour said that during the present debate the administration of affairs in Ireland had been compared to the tyranny of Russia, although everybody knew the comparison was nonsensical. The endeavor of the government was to free Ireland from the bondage of an unscrupulous conspiracy; to suppress intimidation; to give to the people the common rights that all people are supposed to possess in civilized countries. He trusted the house and the country would continue to support the policy that had done so much for Ireland.

At the end of the debate a vote was taken on Parnell's amendment to the address, which was rejected—307 to 240.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—[Dunlap's Cable News.]—Conservative magnates are subscribing to defray the expenses incurred by the *Times*, in the Parnell commission, and the Primrose League has been asked to contribute.

The council of the liberal federation to-day passed resolutions congratulating Parnell and colleagues upon the result of the investigation, regretting that all the persons responsible for the forgeries were not called to account by the commission, and demanding that the government offer reparation to Parnell.

MARIE HOLTON INSULTED.

The Pretty American Actress Mistaken for the Duchess of Fife.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—[Dunlap's Cable News.]—Marie Holton and her diamond broker, Lewis, of London, two weeks ago left for Paris and the Riviera. If they have sailed for America they must have done so secretly, but according to letters to friends of theirs in London both have been ill, but are both better and visiting the celebrated Italian cities. They are expected in Monte Carlo to-day. It is said that before he was taken ill Mr. Lewis won several thousand pounds at the tables.

They are both indignant at the persistent mention of their names in American papers about Marie being mistaken for the Duchess of Fife. She says it is quite true she was in the box under that of the duchess, but no equerry called on her. The gentleman behind her chair was a young English nobleman of whom Lewis is jealous, and she promised not to flirt any more with his lordship on condition that Lewis should take her to Lake Como for the honeymoon. That is the reason of this present jaunt. She does not consider it any compliment to be taken for the duchess, as she is sure she is much better looking.

THE POPE LEFT THE VATICAN.

Love for His Dying Brother Led Him to Break a Rule.

ROME, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—It is reported on good authority that the pope has for the first time gone beyond the precincts of the Vatican since his elevation to the pontifical chair when, following the example of Pius IX., he has constituted himself a prisoner as a protest against the usurpation of the house of Savoy. The mortal illness of his brother, Cardinal Pecci, he being dearly loved, caused him to break his self-imposed vow. The pope could no longer restrain his affection. He entered an ordinary cardinal's coach, and drove to the place where his brother lives, taking no precautions to disguise himself other than by holding a handkerchief to his face. His presence was a surprise and consolation to his brother. Both were affected. The pope remained an hour by the bedside, and giving a final benediction and bidding farewell to the dying cardinal he returned to the Vatican.

BOULANGER IN HARD LUCK.

Wants to Marry a Rich Widow, but the Pope Won't Grant a Divorce.

PARIS, Feb. 18.—General Boulanger was notified yesterday that the sacred congregation at Rome had decided against his application for divorce. The general has sent to the papal nuncio at Paris entreating him to ask the holy father to overrule the decision. Should the application be successful the general will marry Mme. Bounemain, to whom he owes 100,000 francs.

The *Journal des Débats* blames the political inactivity of the government for the defeat of the republican candidates at Sunday's election. Boulangists are jubilant and predict a repetition of the victory in the municipal election in May.

Now is the time to buy your spring medicine. Get Hood's Sarsaparilla. It is the best.

Reservations on any steamship line in the Atlantic service to Europe and England can be secured at Northern Pacific ticket office, No. 121 First street, corner Washington.

Don't be a nuisance! Cure that cough with Kidd's Cough Syrup. 25 cents.

CABLE NOTES.

The French Policy in Africa.

PARIS, Feb. 18.—[Dunlap's Cable News.]—President Carnot has received Minister Lincoln in private before his return to London. Mr. Lincoln considers the Portuguese claims untenable, but in spite of Lincoln's mediation the French will support Portugal because for centuries she has exercised the right of apportioning the territory of the native chiefs, and the Catholic missionaries are twice as numerous as the American and English. Carnot is determined that the French in Africa, whether missionaries or not, must not be insulted by English agents. Spuller, minister for foreign affairs, has been instructed to decline further part in the Belgian conference, on the ground that England refuses to define the limit of the territory assigned to the Portuguese and other European interests.

Heir to the Earldom of Caithness.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—[Dunlap's Cable News.]—The Aberdeen banker will not be Earl of Caithness after all. Another cousin of the late Lord Sinclair of Broynach asserts that he belongs to the older branch of the family, and that the title has been usurped by the younger branch since 1677, on account of a lack of evidence of a marriage, which evidence has lately been discovered among some old papers in the secret drawer of a desk. A contest is likely to ensue which may last for years before the house of Lords can decide who is to be the rightful heir.

The Stupid Duke of Orleans.

PARIS, Feb. 18.—Boucher, Orleanist member of the chamber of deputies, has received from Havana a cable dispatch from the Count of Paris, father of the Duke of Orleans, in which he says: "I am proud of my son and pleased with the attitude he has taken, but deeply concerned on account of his sentence." President Carnot has decided to pardon the Duke of Orleans and send him under escort to the frontier.

State Socialism in England.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—A deputation of ministers today visited the Earl of Dunraven and Lord Randolph Churchill, both of whom assured the deputation that they favor the limitation of working hours by the state. Matthews, home secretary, replying to a deputation of miners, told them that he could hold out the hope that the government would support the eight-hour bill.

The Emperor Only a Make-Believe Socialist.

COLOGNE, Feb. 18.—[Dunlap's Cable News.]—The *Cologne Gazette* in an editorial warns the people against overrating the emperor's words. It says there are limits to social reform beyond which all concerned plunge into ruin.

Lord Salisbury in Delicate Health.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—[Dunlap's Cable News.]—Lord Salisbury's health causes much uneasiness to his friends. He is ordered to the seaside and has in consequence gone to Bornemouth, and is forbidden to any but the most urgent business.

Vigorous Socialist Campaign.

BERLIN, Feb. 18.—At Mühlhausen, Saxony, there was a fight at a socialist meeting and troops were called out. Thirty persons were wounded.

Vitriol Thrown in a Woman's Face.

ERIE, Pa., Feb. 18.—Residents of the eastern section of the city are greatly excited over a cowardly attack made upon Miss Emma Nischer, a young lady of prominence and respectability, last evening. She went to the door in response to a summons, and a man wearing a mask threw vitriol in her face and ran away. Dennis McCarthy, her accepted lover, started out to find the villain. He suspected certain fellows, and, tracing them to an old building, attempted to enter, when he was shot twice and painfully wounded by the scoundrels, who then made their escape. Miss Nischer's face is terribly disfigured.

Mysterious Murder in a Prison.

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—This afternoon one of the wardens of the lower corridor of the jail saw blood dripping from the gallery above and on investigation found Patrick Hughey, a prisoner, lying in a pool of blood. A gash in the side of the man's neck had nearly severed the head from the body. There was no weapon in the cell, and from the nature of the wound and the position of the man it was clearly impossible for him to have thrown any weapon out of the cell. None of the cells of other are locked during the afternoon, and there is a suspicion, based on the fact that no weapon was found, that the man was murdered.

South Dakota's Humor.

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 18.—A *Journal's* Pierre special says: The house has passed the joint resolution admitting that destitution exists in many parts of the state. The resolution declares that, under the state constitution, the state and county are powerless to render aid, and all assistance must come from outside sources. The whole matter is placed in the hands of Governor Mellette, who will issue an appeal for aid. The action of the house is regarded as a grim joke.

Bills to prohibit publication of lottery schemes and to prohibit the sale of lottery policies began a desperate struggle in the house to-day. The senate this afternoon passed the resolution unanimously.

Coal on the Sioux Reservation.

CHAMBERLAIN, D. T., Feb. 18.—Officials of the land office, together with a force of clerks sent out from Washington, arrived to-day and were tendered a royal reception by the citizens. It is expected the office will be ready to receive filings by the last of the week. T. C. Sherman has just returned from twenty miles in the interior, bringing fine samples of coal. Sherman represents a syndicate of Western capitalists, who located a number of coal mines, and is so enthusiastic over the prospects that he has ordered an outfit with which to begin mining.

Congressman Kelley's Successor Elected.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 18.—A special election was held to-day to fill the unexpired term of the late Congressman Kelley. Indications late to-night are that John E. Reyburn, republican, is elected by a slightly reduced majority. A local election was also held for receiver of taxes, city solicitor, etc., in which the republicans were victorious by about the usual majority. Elections were also held in a number of smaller cities throughout the state, but were without special significance.

Mexican Railroad Building.

CITY OF MEXICO, Feb. 18.—An American syndicate has offered to furnish money for the construction of the Esteras concession railroad from Guadalajara west to Chuncola on the Pacific coast, and east from Guadalajara to Aguas Calientes on the Mexican Central. There is a probability, therefore, that the concession will be withdrawn from the London market. Work on the Tehuantepec railroad is progressing rapidly. The Inter-Oceanic railroad is working hard on a line in the direction of Jalapa.

North Dakota Lottery Not Yet Dead.

ST. PAUL, Feb. 18.—A *Pioneer Press*, Bismarck, N. D., special says a rumor is current to-night that friends of the lottery bill will introduce a new measure to-morrow to provide for payment to the state of $250,000 per year, instead of $75,000. One of the strongest opponents of the measure said he thought the report correct and feared the result. He did not believe the people would make another attempt unless absolutely sure of their ground. Others think there is nothing in the rumor.

Flesh and Blood Ghosts.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Three reporters and a detective last night attended a dark cabinet seance and managed to unmask Mrs. Carrie Sawyer and her husband, Frank Burk and Kittie Ralmer, who played the disembodied spirits. Mrs. Sawyer played the male parts with wigs, beards, etc. Burk was manager and magnetist. They were arrested and locked up. Mrs. Sawyer was formerly a well-known medium in San Francisco. She was doing a big business.

The Missouri Crusaders Arrested.

SPICARDSVILLE, Mo., Feb. 18.—A constable today arrested sixteen crusaders, thirteen ladies and three men, charged with malicious destruction of property. He met with no opposition, the ladies having determined to submit quietly to their martyrdom, as they call it. They gave bonds in the sum of $50 each for appearance next Friday.

Another Alaska Company Incorporated.

ALBANY, Feb. 18.—The New York Commercial Company of Alaska, limited, formed with a capital of $1,000,000, for carrying on mining, fishing, building and commercial enterprises generally in the territory of Alaska, filed a certificate of incorporation to-day.

Benefit to Mrs. James G. Blaine.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—A benefit to Mrs. James G. Blaine, jr., took place this afternoon at the Broadway theater. It will net the young lady $3700. She is still in a serious condition, the result of inflammatory rheumatism.

Bayard Taylor's Mother Dead.

KENNETT SQUARE, Pa., Feb. 18.—Mrs. Rebecca May Taylor, mother of the late author and traveler, Bayard Taylor, died at her residence this morning after a brief illness, aged ninety years.

Inventor of the Typewriter Dead.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 18. — Christopher Lathan Sholes, a pioneer Western newspaper man, and noted as the inventor of the first successful typewriting machine, died last night, aged 71 years.

The Albany World's Fair Bill.

ALBANY, Feb. 18.—World's fair conference committee met to-night and finally agreed on a report to be presented to the legislature to-morrow, which is in accord with Depew's proposition.

Take the Union Pacific railway for the East, thirty-five hours quicker than any other transcontinental line. Elegant new dining cars, Pullman palace sleepers, free family sleeping cars run through to Denver, Omaha, Council Bluffs, Kansas City, St. Louis and Chicago; G. S. Taylor, city ticket agent, 81 First street, corner Oak.

SNOW ON THE TRACK.

The Train from Ashland Stuck Fast Near Edgewood.

THINGS REMAIN IN STATU QUO

The Wind Blows, the Snow Descends, the Rain Soaks the Soil of California—All the Mountain Country Beaten.

SISSONS, Cal., Feb. 18.—The snow blockade is still on. The Ashland train ran back to Edgewood, as the plow has not left here yet to open the road. It has been lying here two days waiting for engines from Dunsmuir. It is reported that there are two passenger coaches and a caboose full of passengers, and that they will soon be, if they are not already, without food. When the engines from the last train reached here the snow was over three feet deep on the track and had drifted into the cuts five feet deep. It was impossible for one engine to move the plow through such deep snow, so an engine and plow was ordered to get ready and it was stated that an engine from Mott would be here as soon as possible to assist the snow plow. The engine left Mott at 4:20 P. M. yesterday and has not been heard of since. It is supposed to be stuck in the snow and unable to move either way, or it would have returned to Mott.

It is not expected that trains can run for two weeks. The situation is almost as bad as it was before, when the first blockade commenced. The snow-bound passengers are at Preston's, five miles this side of Edgewood, and there is no way of clearing the track to reach them and give assistance.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—Fred Messinger, a laborer just returned from the northern blockade near tunnel nine, tells a story of bad treatment received by the men from railroad officials. He says the foreman of a gang, named Sullivan frequently shoveled down rocks from a higher level on the heads of men below, hurting them badly. The men when work was over would often be locked out of the cars and forced to remain in the cold for two hours. The men had to eat in two shifts, and when the first lot finished nothing but bread was left for second table. When the men asked for their discharge a time clerk named Sexton would keep them waiting sometimes for two days or more and charge them $1 a day for board. Messinger seems to be an honest man worthy of belief.

SNOW STILL FALLING.

California Mountain Towns Buried Deep—No Signs of Relenting.

NEVADA, Cal., Feb. 18.—Eight inches of snow has fallen in this city in the last five hours, and although yesterday's fall has settled several inches, the snow is now over two feet deep on the level. Shovelers this morning demanded 75 cents an hour for clearing roofs, and figure on getting $1 an hour before night; the barometer stands 29, being the lowest this winter; thermometer 31 last night and 33 this morning. The Narrow Gauge Company's snow plow, the Cyclops, had a hard fight this morning getting up the grade to Towntalk. It then came back to the station and taking one coach with passengers, baggage and mails, started for Grass Valley. The deepest snow will be encountered below Grass Valley. Stages for North Bloomfield and Camptonville left this morning loaded light and were accompanied by swampers to clear the roads, if possible, of snow and fallen trees. Telegraph wires are being frequently grounded and broken and need constant attention. There is very little water in the streams, owing to the choking by snow.

GRASS VALLEY, Cal., Feb. 18.—This evening the water ditches are failing to run water, the hands in the Idaho mine were laid off. The snow thus throws several hundred men out of employment.

ST. HELENA, Cal., Feb. 18.—The rain continues. The fall up to noon to-day was 3.84 inches. Snow fell in the valley early this morning.

UKIAH, Cal., Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—There has been a steady downpour since Friday morning. Three inches of snow fell this morning. All trains are blockaded.

THE BALTIMORE & OHIO DEAL.

Denials Give Confirmation—Villard Richer Than Monte Cristo.

ST. PAUL, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—A *Pioneer Press* New York special says: It was not possible to obtain from the officers of the Northern Pacific in this city any confirmation of the Baltimore & Ohio consolidation scheme which has been revived by recent dispatches from the West. From sources practically official, however, there came silkiness and admissions which go a good way toward indorsing the Western announcement. One of the officers of the Northern Pacific said: "So far nothing like the big deal suggested has been accomplished," but when pressed to tell whether or not the project was in view, he practically admitted that it was being worked upon. He pointed out what he called "the manifold advantages of control of the Baltimore & Ohio by the Northern Pacific." It was no new discovery he said. Villard had always been awake to the opportunity in it, and it was added suggestively that the present holders of Baltimore & Ohio securities are not disinclined to sell out at a fair price.

Every representative railroad man consulted regarding the report of the big deal declared it was in nowise improbable. It was exactly in line with the policy which it is known had been mapped out by Villard. It would at once make him the leading railroad magnate of the country, it would, moreover, be just such an accomplishment as would vastly redound to his credit as a great financier, and would add immeasurably to his prestige abroad. Further than this, it would be of stupendous advantage to the Northern Pacific property, and by appreciating the value of all Northern Pacific securities would strengthen Villard's grasp upon the confidence of the security owners.

The most important fact bearing upon the probability of the report is the practically untold amount of money at Villard's command. It is suspected that when the $150,000,000 bond was lately authorized by the Northern Pacific directors, Villard has his eye upon this big Baltimore & Ohio deal.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—A Baltimore & Ohio official says there is no truth in the report that the Northern Pacific is negotiating for control of that road. The Baltimore & Ohio is not for sale, and no other railroad company or syndicate could secure controlling interest.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—Referring to the alleged purchase of control of the Baltimore & Ohio by Villard, First Vice-President Williams, of the Northern Pacific, says that so far as he knows there is no authority for such a statement.

HE DROVE CRONIN TO HIS DEATH.

Kelly, Alias Smith, Who Guided the White Horse, Arrested.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 18.—Detective Thomas, of Chicago, accompanied by two local detectives, made an important arrest last night, which was kept very quiet until to-day. The prisoner is believed to be one of the men badly wanted in connection with the Cronin case, and Thomas has been advised that parties will arrive to-night from Chicago to fully identify him. The prisoner gave the name of J. B. Kelly, and admitted that he was the man for whom the Chicago authorities had been looking, but denied that he was Smith, Dan Coughlin's friend, who was believed to have driven the buggy in which Cronin was conveyed from his home. He further denied complicity in the murder. Detective Thomas says his prisoner is known in Chicago as J. B. Kelley, but is supposed to be the man known as Smith. If he proves to be so, the arrest is one of the most important made in the celebrated case.

Smith was the last person in whose company the murdered physician was seen alive by Cronin's friends. When questioned by reporters this afternoon the prisoner was very surly. He said he was J. B. Kelly, of Chicago, but that he knew nothing of the Cronin case or the parties interested in it, except Tom Desmond, of San Francisco. He never belonged to any Clan-na-Gael camp and was not an active Irish sympathizer. He would not talk further except to say he had been in St. Louis about two weeks. This statement, however, is disproved by the fact that detectives located him at the People's hotel, where he registered for the first time August 20 last, and he has been there almost continually since. He was shabbily dressed and to the hotel people pretended to be a peddler of books. He paid for his lodging regularly, but never seemed to have much money.

This evening Lieut. Clark and Detective Collins, of Chicago, arrived and in company with Detective Thomas went to the prison. When Kelly was brought out both Clark and Collins nodded their heads and said: "Yes, he is the man." They had a brief talk with the prisoner, but claim to have elicited nothing from him. Kelly was seen afterward, and said: "Those men claim to know me and I do not know them." He agreed to return to Chicago with requisition. Whether the officers identified him as the wanted suspect or not is unknown.

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CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Carl Hallbergen, Stuttgart publisher, is dead.

Sarah Bernhardt is ill in Paris, and has discontinued her performances.

Leigh S. J. Hunt, proprietor of the Seattle *Post-Intelligencer*, is in Washington city.

James Riley, first assistant chief engineer of the San Francisco fire department, is dead.

The great annual sprinting handicap at Sheffield, England, was won by Cullins, the American.

Sir Edward Watkin, the railroad king, slipped in getting out of bed Monday, and broke two of his ribs.

George Bruggy shot and killed Dick Loursen at Windsor, Cal., Monday afternoon. They had been drinking and quarreling.

Herr Maybach, German minister of public works, has offered his resignation, but the emperor will not permit him to resign.

Socialists attacked a liberal meeting at Liegnitz, Prussia, Monday night. The police interfered and many persons were wounded.

The grand carnival pageant in New Orleans moved at noon Tuesday. It was the most brilliant in the history of the carnival. The crowd of visitors was unusually large.

The filly Orno, winner of the two-year-old stakes at Santa Rosa last fall, died at San Francisco last Monday morning. Her owner, Captain Harris, had refused $15,000 for her.

The steamer Coral Queen, from Gotteuburg, has been sunk off the river Tees in a collision with the Rotterdam steamer Bruno. Sixteen persons on the Coral Queen were drowned.

The ship Jabez Howes arrived at San Francisco Monday evening, 170 days from New York. The Howes started from New York to race with the Charmer, which vessel arrived more than a month ago.

The United States squadron on Monday landed 700 men at Villefranche for drill exercise, the French government having granted permission, which it declared it would refuse to any European fleet.

The brig John D. Spreckels and the barkentine Marion came into collision early Tuesday morning outside San Francisco harbor. The brig was much damaged, but managed to sail in. Repairs to the Marion will cost $250.

Governor Waterman protests against the movement to have the Yosemite valley reverts to the care of the government. He is bitter against Kate Field, J. M. Hutchins and Mr. Johnson, of the *Century*, as instigators of the scheme.

The girls' seminary at San Marcos, Tex., was burned Monday night. Three of the girls were seriously burned, and thirty others only escaped death by jumping from third-story windows to a gallery, from which they escaped by ladders.

Postoffices have been established at: Creston, Linn county, Or., with Henry Varfurth postmaster; at Richmond, King county, Wash., with L. F. Adams postmaster, and at Riverside Malheur county, Or., with Teresa McRea postmistress.

Napoleon Laval, of Charleston, S. C., called Monday night at the store of Demar & Co. and asked to see his wife, who is separated from him. When she appeared Laval fatally shot both her and Mr. Fedman. He refuses to make any explanation.

A warrant has been issued for the arrest of Mrs. F. C. Lippincott, an Atlantic City, N. J., hotel proprietress, who is charged with forging the name of her sister, Mrs. Haines, to three mortgage notes. She also stole all the deeds, bonds and other securities of Mrs. Haines contained in a Philadelphia safe deposit box, the amount being many thousand dollars. Mrs. Lippincott is supposed to have gone South.

The three national woman's suffrage associations, the American Woman's, National Woman's and National American Woman's Suffrage Associations, working for the same object, have consolidated and will be known as the National American Woman's Suffrage Association. A meeting of the combined organization in Washington, the following officers were elected: President, Elizabeth Cady Stanton; vice-president at large, Susan B. Anthony; recording secretary, Rachael Foster Avery; corresponding secretary, Alice Stone Blackwell; treasurer J. H. Spofford; chairman of executive committee, Lucy Stone.

Fatally Shot at a Prayer Meeting.

LEBANON, Ind., Feb. 18.—During a prayer meeting at Edward Randall's, five miles south, last night, an unknown miscreant fired a shot through a window, fatally wounding Mrs. Randall. The family is one of the most prominent in the county.

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Postmaster Duckworth Safe Till April.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Feb. 18.—The seventeen Sharon citizens arrested for interfering with Postmaster Duckworth were bound over to the April term of court to-day.

Lower Than the Lowest

The Canadian Pacific are now selling first-class limited tickets through to Chicago for $60, second $34. Office, No. 6 Washington street.

Oh, What makes Mr. Black shy? He—I didn't know he shied. Perhaps it's because he is a little hoarse this evening.—*Texas Siftings.*

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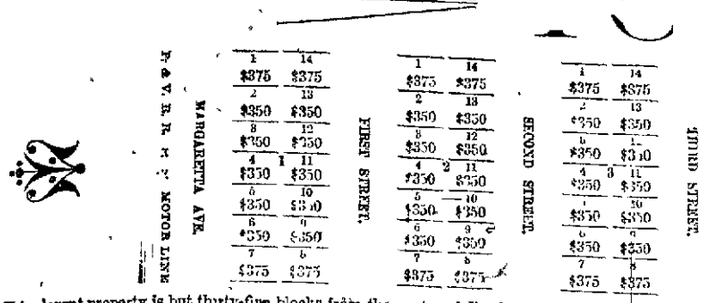

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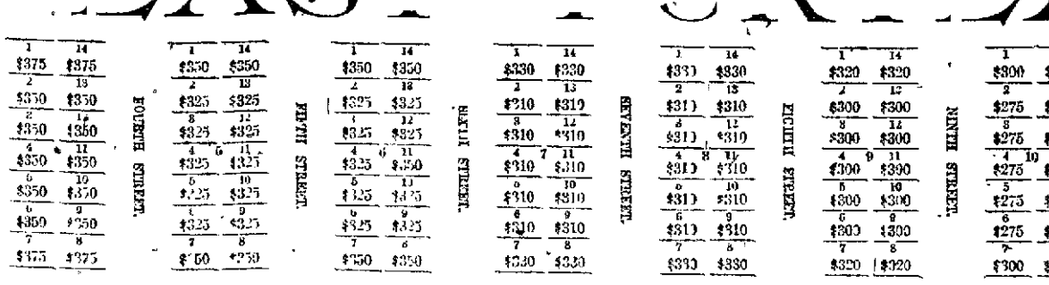

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

Financial.

The business of the Portland clearing house to-day was as follows: Clearings, $176,365 55; balances, $26,644 54.

Merchandise received by rail: 240 cs syrups, 5 cars machinery, 2 cars unware, 75 bdls and 218 lengths iron pipe 384 pkgs granite ironware, 96 cs floor oilcloth, 202 sks peanuts, 218 bd s wrapping paper, 503 bdls wall paper, 43 pkgs glassware, 6 cars agricultural implements, 2 cases machinery, 1,837 cs canned g s, 40 bbls spirits, 240 bbls linseed oil, 43 bbls oil, 2 cars vehicles, 250 cs canned milk, 60 bbls whisky, 64 cks g ucose, 1026 cs baking powder, 1250 cs canned goods, 250 kegs horse shoes, 25 pkgs lard, 1 car furniture, 700 pkgs bitters, 300 spools barbed wire.

Produce receipts by rail included 5620 ctls wheat, 1300 bbls flour, 750 ctls oats, 100 ctls mill stuffs, $1,500 lbs flax, 4000 lbs hides, 53 bxs eggs, 19 pkgs butter, 23 pkgs fruits.

OREGON AND WASHINGTON PRODUCE SHIPMENTS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—Receipts of certain articles of produce from Washington, Oregon and other distant points from the beginning of the harvest year to date, compared with the corresponding period in the previous harvest year are as follows:

	Ju'y 1889, to Feb. 16, 1889.	July 1889, to Feb. 15, 1890
Flour, sacks	256,697	360,146
Wheat, centals	647,576	415,964
Oats, centals	363,278	240,800
Bar'ey, bales	20,268	3,613
Hay, sacks	78,956	10,210
Hops, bales	1,770	973
Potatoes, sacks	129,755	84,192

The Markets.

WHEAT—The foreign market is easier with less disposition to buy. Quotations: $1 15@1 20. The following are the fluctuations of the Eastern markets:

NEW YORK.

	Closed 17th	Opened 18th	Noon, 18th	Closed 18th
February	84¾			84¼
March	84¾	84¾	84¾	85
April	85¼	85¼	85¼	85¼
May	85¾	85¾	85¾	86¼
June	84¾	84¾	84¾	85¼
July				83¾

CHICAGO.

	Closed 17th	Opened 18 h	Noon 18th	Closed 18th
February	74¾			74¾
March	76			77¼
May	77¼	77¼	77¾	77¾

FLOUR—Quotations: Standards $3 75, outside brands $5 50.

OATS—Quotations: 38@42c.

MILLSTUFFS—The market is inactive. Quotations: Bran $16@16, ground barley $23@25, shorts $17@18, chop feed $19 50@20, in dullings, $21 50@23 per ton.

HAY—The market is dull. Quotations: $16 @18 50 per ton.

VEGETABLES—The market is easy. Quotations: Cabbage, $2 per ctl; cauliflower, $1 10 per doz, celery, 90c per dozen-bunches; squash, $1 20 per ctl, assorted vegetables, $3 per crate; onions, 2½c per pound; potatoes, $1 50@1 75 per ctl; sweets, 3c per pound.

GREEN FRUITS—Quotations: Bananas, $2 75 @4 per bunch; lemons, $5@7 per box; oranges, Riverside seedlings, $3 25@3 50 per box; Washington Navels, $3 75@4 50 per box; apples, $3@ 3 50 per box.

EGGS—The market is very weak. Quotations: Oregon, 18@20c; Eastern, 15c.

POULTRY—Quotations: Chickens, $6@6 50; ducks, $7@8; geese, $9@10 50 per dozen.

BUTTER—The market is weak. Quotations: Oregon: Choice dairy, 30c per pound, 60c per roll; good to fair, 15@20c. Common, 12½@15c. Fancy creamery, 23½c per pound, 65c per roll; choice California, 20c.

HIDES—The market shows no activity. Quotations: Dry hides, selected prime, 9@10c green, selected, over 55 pounds, 4c, under 55 pounds, 3c; sheep pelts, short Wool, 30@50c; medium, 60@ 65c, long, 90c@1 25; shearlings, 10@20c; tallow, good to choice, 2@3½c.

WOOL—The market is still dull and weak. Quotations: Eastern Oregon 10@18c, according to shrinkage.

The Merchandise Market.

BEANS—The market is firm. Quotations: Small whites $2 70@3, pink $3 30; bayos, $4 25; butter, $3 75@3 85mas, $5 25 per cental.

SUGARS—The market is firm, but the chances are it will be higher in price. Sugars have gone down ¼ cent since last report. Quotations: Golden C, 5c; extra C, 5¼c; dry granulated, 6¾c; cube crushed, 7c, powdered 7c.

COFFEE—The market is firm and high. Quotations: Arbuckle's roasted, 23¾c. Java, 27½c. Costa Rica, 22½@23c; Rio, 22½c; Salvador, 22c.

DRIED FRUITS—No change in the market. Sundried apples, 6c; bleached, 9½@10c; Oregon prunes, Italian, 8@9c, silver prunes, 7@8c, petite, 6@7c, German, 5½c; pears, Plummer dried, 9@9½c; sundried and factory plums, 6@7c; peaches, 14 @15c, evaporated, 15@16c; raisins, $2 25@2 50 per box, Smyrna figs, 14@15c; California figs, 9c per pound.

CANNED GOODS—The market is steady. Quotations: Table fruits, 2½s, peaches, $2, Bartlett pears, $1 85@1 90, plums, $1 65; strawberries, $2 25, cherries, $2, blackberries, $1 85@1 95; raspberries, $2 25@2 50. Pie Fruit: Assorted 3s, $1 10 per dozen; 2½s, peaches $1 25@1 30, plums, $1 10@1 15, blackberries $1 65. Tomatoes, 2½s, 95c, 3s, $1 20@1 25. Sugar peas, $1 40@1 50; string beans, $1 10@1 20.

THE MEAT MARKET.

The meat market is firm. Quotations:
Beef—Live, 4c, dressed, 8c.
Mutton—Live, 5c dressed, 10c.
Hogs—Live, 5c, dressed, 6½c.
Veal—6@8c.
Smoked meats and lard—Quotations: Eastern hams 10½@12c, breakfast bacon 11@12c, sides 8½@9c, lard 8½@9½c.

Hardware.

NAILS—Quotations: Wire, base, $4 50; steel, base, $3 75, iron nails, base, $3 55 per keg.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Stocks to-day were less active than yesterday, but were stronger, and some material gains were scored during the day. Sugar was again the most prominent feature, and the announcement that the refinery at San Francisco belonging to the trust had been placed in the hands of a receiver to wind up its affairs, created more a bearish feeling on trusts, and certifics es scored final loss of ½ per cent. There was a better tone toward the close, on contradiction of a portion of the story, but it closed weak at the lowest prices. The market closed quiet but firm. Final changes are almost all in the direction of higher prices. Colorado Coal and Jersey Central rose 1¼ per cent. each, and Wisconsin Central 1, Oregon Short Line was weak and dropped 1 per cent.

Governments dull and steady.

MONEY, BONDS AND STOCKS.

NEW YORK, Feb 18.—Money on call, easy at 3½@5 Prime mercantile paper, 5@6½. Sterling exchange, quiet and steady; sixty-day bills, $4 85, demand, $4 87.

BONDS.

U S 4's (reg)	125¾	U. S. 4½'s (coupon)	106¼
U S 4's (coupon)	124½	Pacific 6's	116
U. S. 4½'s (reg)	108½		

STOCKS.

American Ex.	115	Preferred	141
Canada Pacific	83¾	N. Y. Central	106
Canada Southern	63½	Oregon Imp.	45
Central Pacific	34½	O. R. & N.	99
Burlington	107	Oregon Short Line	49
Lackawanna	135¾	Transcontinental	3 5¾
Denver & R. G	16¾	Pacific Mail	138
Erie	26½	Reading	40
Kansas & Texas	09	Rock Island	90¾
Lake Shore	109½	St. Paul	69¾
Louisville & Nash	80	Texas Pacific	26¾
Michigan Central	92½	Union Pacific	85
Missouri Pacific	71¾	U. S. Express	85
Northern Pacific	33¾	Wells, Fargo	140
Preferred	75½	Western Union	83¾
Northwestern	108¾	Am Cotton Seed Oil	27¾

MONEY MARKETS.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—Consols, 97 5-16. Silver bullion, per fine ounce, 44. Bank of England rate of discount, 6 per cent.

NEW YORK, Feb 18.—Sterling exchange, long, $4 83½; short, $4 87½; U. S. bonds, 4's, 122½; 4½'s 106½. Silver bullion, per fine ounce, 95¾.

SAN FRANCISCO Feb. 18.—Sterling exchange, 60 days, $4 83, documentary, $4 82, Tranfers, 22½ prem.

SAN FRANCISCO MINING STOCK MARKET.

		SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.	
Ophir	$ 4 20	Utah	01
Mexican	3 30	Bullion	65
Gould & Curry	1 50	Seg Belcher	1 40
Best & Belcher	2 90	Justice	1 40
Con Cala	4 80	Union	2 10
Savage	1 60	Challenge	1 80
Choller	2 50	N. B Isle	1 15
Potosi	1 60	Bodie	45
Hale & Norcross	2 75	Peer	15
Crown Point	1 60	Peerless	25
Yellow Jacket	2 0	Overman	1 00
Belcher	1 70	Alpha	05
Sierra Nevada	2 10	Imperial	20

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb 18.—Produce receipts past 24 hours included 123,600 ctls wheat; 7800 qr sks flour; 7800 ctls barley, 800 ctls oats, 1500 sks potatoes.

Freights—Grain freights are inactive but firmly held. The British ship Nicole, Iron, 1469 tons, has arrived in under prior charter to load wheat for United Kingdom. Havre or Antwerp at 57s 6d.

Wheat—Trading on spot continues of a quiet character but values hold steady. Shippers bid $1 5s for standard shipping options. Little doing. Morning call—300 tons of No. 1 white sold buyer year at $1 85½; buyer season, $1 29¼.

Barley—The market rules steady with a fair demand, principally local. Holders offer moderately. Feed descriptions quoted from 75@76½c for No. 1 and choice. Options—Quiet. Buyer year, 89½c.

Oats—Light receipts and the reduction of city stocks have given the market a very firm tone. Trading fairly active and more competition among buyers. Good to choice feed quoted from $1 20@1 40 per ctl.

Millstuffs—Business is of fair proportions and values show no change. Bran, $14@14 50 per ton; middlings, $16@20.

Potatoes—The market is firm but not quotably any higher. Burbanks range from $2 25@2 40.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Wheat receipts past 24 hours at the principal Eastern points were 155,000 bushels and the shipments were 256,000.

Wheat—The market opened dull and inactive; trading during the day very light; at the closing March and May options were ½c higher. Opening—77¼c May. Noon—77½c May. Closing—74½c February, 75½c March, 77¾c May.

Provisions—Pork, steady, $9 70 March; lard, steady, $5 77½ March; ribs, steady, $4 70 March.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 4500; strong to a shade higher; heaves, $4 80@4 60; steers, $3 40; stockers and feeders, $2 40@3 40; Texas corn fed steers, $2 75@3 45.

Hogs—Receipts, 23,000; fairly active and 5c lower; mixed, $3 75@3 95, heavy, $3 70@3 95; light, $3 50@4.

Sheep—Receipts, 5000, slow and 5c lower; natives, $3 75@5 30; Western corn fed, $4 30@5 80; Texans, $3@c

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Grain freights—Rate to Liverpool, by steamer, 3½d per bushel.

Wheat—The market was easier at the opening, but recovered later on and closed a shade better. Prices ranged as follows: Opening—84½c March, 84½c April, 85½c May, 84½c June. Noon—84½c March, 85½c April, 85½c May, 84½c June. Closing—84½c February, 86c March, 85¾c April, 85½c May, 84½c June, 85½c July.

Shipments from Atlantic ports during the past week included 364,000 bushels wheat and 173,000 bbls flour.

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Hops—Barely steady.

Coffee—Options closed barely steady, 5 points up; sales, 85,250 bags; February, $16 30; March, $16 20@16 30; May, $16 15@16 20. Spot Rio, firm; fair cargoes, 20c.

Sugar—Raw, steady; sales, 200 hhds Demerara Muscovado, 87 test, at 4⅞c, 12.7 bags centrifugal, 96 test, at 5⅝c; cargo of centrifugals, 96 test, at 3 3-16c; refined, easy; confectioners' "A," 6c; granulated, 6 5-16c.

Wool—Easy; domestic fleece, 32@37c.

Copper—Nominal.

Lead—Steady; domestic, $3 77½.

Tin—Firmer; straits, $20 80.

Petroleum—Opened steady at $1 06¾. Stock Exchange, opening, $1 05; highest $1 06¾, lowest $1 05, closing $1 06¾. Consolidated Exchange, opening, $1 05, highest $1 06, lowest $1 05, closing $1 06¾. Total sales, 187,000 barrels.

Bar Silver—95¾c.

BOSTON WOOL MARKET.

BOSTON, Feb 18.—Wool is fair business. In territory there has been sales of fine at 56@58c, fine medium at 54@55c, medium 50@52c. Scoured Oregon sells principally at 44@60c. Clean Texas and California moved slowly. Pulled wools are quiet.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

BREADSTUFF GRAIN REPORT.

LONDON, Feb 18.—Weather throughout England is fair. Wheat cargoes on sale off coast, nothing offering. Cargoes on passage and for shipment, wheat, steady, mark, quiet, California wheat cargoes, prompt shipment, 34s 6d. English country markets are firm.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 18.—Spot wheat opened with a moderate demand closed firmer. Quantities on passage are as follows 2 286 000 qrs wheat and flour, and 610 000 qrs maize for the United Kingdom, 467,000 qrs wheat and 570,000 qrs maize for the Continent. Shipments of wheat, the past week, from Calcutta, Bombay and Kurrachee, were 45,000 qrs to the United Kingdom, and 2500 qrs to the Continent. Imports into the United Kingdom the past week were: 151,000 qrs wheat, 141,000 qrs flaise and 127,000 bbls flour. Futures: No. 1 California, per cental, 7s 8¼d February, 7s 2¾d March, 7s 1¾d April, 7s 1¾d May, 7s 1d June, 7s 2d July, August and September.

PARIS, Feb 18.—French country markets are weaker; spot wheat and flour, quiet.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN MARKET.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 18.—Wheat—Steady, demand fair; holders offer sparingly.

Corn—Steady; demand good; new mixed Western, 5s 8¼d per cental.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

GENERAL NOTES.

The Br ship Oberon and Br bk Lorton expect to go down to Astoria to-day, drawing 19 feet.

The ship Eastcroft is discharging granite and fire brick, the former to remain here and the latter to go to Seattle.

The Patterdale will finish discharging to-day and will be ready for stiffening.

The Nereus at the Portland Flouring mills has one end of her ballast out and will be ready for her cargo of flour to-day.

The Cotesworth will begin to discharge her general cargo on Thursday.

The ship Clan Mackenzie has been surveyed and the report on her will soon be made public. No bids as yet.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—Arrived—Br ship Morseby and Br bk Eppenby Hall from Newcastle, N S W; ship John Howes, New York; Br ship Niobe, Calcutta, Br ship Centaur, Cardiff; str Santa Rosa, Portland; bkt Marian, Punta Arenas, Sailed—Str Haystein Republic, Nanaimo.

ASTORIA, Feb 18.—Str Signal passed out at 4 P.M. FORT CANBY, Feb. 18, 5 P. M.—Weather clear; wind east, bar smooth

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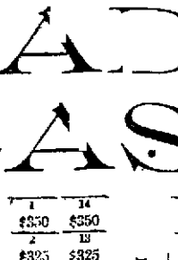
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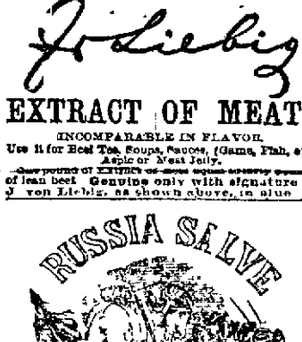

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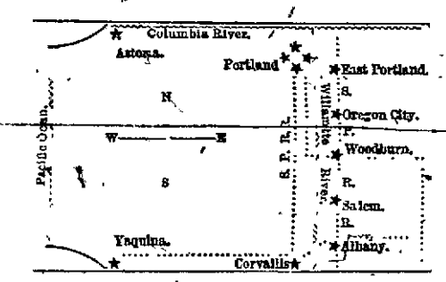

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PORTLAND, Or., Feb. 18, 1890.

Place of Observation.	Highest Bar.	Rain-fall last 12 hours	Wind: Direction.	Wind: Velocity.	State of Weather.
Portland	29.66	.02	E	6	Cloudless
Olympia	29.10	.30	NE	6	Cloudy
Roseburg	29.62	.40	N	6	Cloudy
Red Bluff	29.66	.02	SE	4	Cloudy
Sacramento	29.80	.12	SW	12	Cloudy
Spokane	29.80	.02	Calm	0	Cloudy
Walla Walla	29.84	.18	SW	6	Cloudy
Fort Canby	29.56	.38	SE	6	Pt. Cldy

Local Report.

Pacific Coast Time	Bar.	Rain-fall Hum.	Direction of Wind	Velocity of Wind	Rain.	Weather
A.M.	29.66	26	94	SE	14	.0	C'd'l's
P.M.	29.66	24	66	E	12	.0	C'd'l's

Maximum temperature, 36; minimum temperature, 25; height of river, 6.0 ft. Change, —0.7.

Total precipitation from July 1, 1889, to date, 37.74; average precipitation from July 1, 1889, to date, 34.50; excess in precipitation from July 1, 1889, 3.24 inches.

To-Day's Weather.

SAN FRANCISCO, *Feb. 18.—Forecast till 8 P. M. Wednesday for Oregon and Washington: Local rains or snow; variable winds; nearly stationary temperature in the western portion; slightly cooler in the eastern portion.*

AMUSEMENTS THIS EVENING.

MARQUAM GRAND—PEARL OF PEKIN. 8 P. M.

NEW PARK—MERCHANT OF VENICE. 8 P. M.

CORDRAY'S—DIVORCE. 7:30 P. M.

CYCLORAMA—GETTYSBURG.

COET'S STANDARD THEATER—VAUDEVILLE.

CLINTON'S THEATER ROYAL—VAUDEVILLE.

OREGONIANA.

The Columbia river jetty has been so far extended toward the sea that its outer end is now two and three-tenths miles from Fort Stevens.

It is claimed that a coal deposit has been discovered by J. C. Davis at his place on the John Day river. The coal burns well, and the indications are that the find will prove valuable.

The Jefferson *Review* says that to R. E. Keene is due the credit of saving the Stayton bridge. Mr. Keene allowed himself to be lowered from the bridge onto some drift that had accumulated against one of the piers, and while swinging by a rope sawed a large log in two, which allowed the drift to swing clear and float down the river.

A subscription paper was circulated Wednesday by Messrs. Matlock and Peters among the Eugene business men and a sum sufficient obtained to build a footbridge on the east side of the Eugene bridge. Persons coming to town will no longer have to pay for crossing the river. This bridge will answer the purpose for the next six weeks, by which time the repairs on the wagon bridge will be completed.

The building of a new court house for Lane county has received strong support from the most influential citizens, but with a loss of fences by farmers, logs by lumbermen, and the cost of repairing roads and bridges coming upon all, however light it may prove to be, it is thought the verdict of the people will be to let the court house wait another year; and they will sustain the county commissioners in that decision.

The Coast Fork bridge washed about half a mile and lodged, and now lies high and dry, says the Eugene *Guard*. The timbers in it have not been broken to any considerable extent. The pier in the river washed out, causing the loss of the bridge. The Taylor bridge on the upper Coast Fork swung around, and lies on the bank, a short distance below its former site. The loss of this bridge was also caused by a pier being washed out. In the building of future bridges some other plans for piers should be adopted. The loss of every bridge in Lane county, during the flood, may be attributed to defective piers. It may be money in the pockets of bridge builders, but the public suffer great inconvenience and expense on account of the inability of the builders to provide piers that will withstand the floods.

WASHINGTONIANA.

The independents of Tacoma threaten to place a citizens' ticket in the field should the republicans and democrats fail to nominate a thoroughly clean set of municipal officers.

Mr. Hunt places the amount of wheat now stored in the Walla Walla district and along the line of its roads at from 800,000 to 900,000 bushels. Including barley there are in the neighborhood of 1,000,000 bushels of grain in the section referred to.

Kittitas county has made all necessary arrangements for a fine irrigating ditch sixty miles in length. It will be built by private parties, the farmers agreeing to take so many inches of water each year, instead of giving a bonus or voting any indebtedness upon the county.

The county commissioners of Skagit offer a reward of $100 for information leading to the conviction of any person or persons guilty of selling liquor without a license. This action was taken on account of the recent wholesale violation of the liquor laws in various parts of the county. The commissioners are determ ned to break up the practice if possible.

The people of Aberdeen are in doubt whether to accept the railroad proposition of Hunt or that of Heustis. The *Bulletin* says everybody is fully aware of the proposition made by Mr. Hunt, some few days ago, to build a railroad through this town. It would not be wise to lay aside his proposition, which has been partially if not wholly accepted, and rely too strongly upon the others unless some strong, tangible reasons can be given for so doing.

About the middle of January two men, Stubblefield and Gray, ranchmen living near Coulee, came to Davenport to secure family supplies. They started home, but snow forbid progress, and they were compelled to return a few days later. An additional attempt was made, Stubblefield going on alone to relieve his family of suspense. Since then nothing has been heard of him. A searching party was organized, but no trace whatever has been found of the missing man.

C. H. Reed is planting 700 yearling prune trees on his place near Newaukum; also a selection of other fruit trees. The prune trees will bear some at three years old, but a full crop is not expected until the fourth year. Mr. Reed will plant more prune trees as fast as he clears his land, and expects ultimately to put his whole place out to prunes. Sheriff Degeler has 1600 prune trees out on his place near Centralia. Within the past few years it has been discovered that prunes do wonderfully well in Washington, and in many places large orchards have been planted.

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MEETING NOTICES.

Portland Chapter No. 3, R. A. M.—A regular convocation of this chapter will be held in Masonic Temple this (Wednesday) evening at 7:30. Work in the M. M. degree. Members and visiting companions invited. By order of the M. E. H. P.

A. S. GIBBS, Sec.

Washington Lodge No. 46, A. F. and A. M.—Regular communication to-night at 7:30 o'clock in Masonic Hall, East Portland. Work in F. C. degree.

E. B. HOLMES, Secretary.

Improved Order of Red Men.—All members with cards, and those wishing to become members of the Order will assemble at Red Men's Hall, Second and Salmon sts., Thursday, Feb. 20, at 8 P. M. to assist in organizing an English speaking lodge.

GEORGE H. RIVER,
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A. O. U. W. Relief Board.—An adjourned meeting of the General Committee on formation of Relief Board of the A. O. U. W. will meet at Red Men's Hall, corner of Second and Salmon sts., on Thursday evening, Feb. 20, at 7:30 o'clock. Representatives of the various lodges will please be in attendance promptly. C. A. WHEELER, Sec.

Samaritan Lodge, No. 2, I. O. O. F.—Regular meeting this (Wednesday) Evening at 7:30 o'clock. Members are requested to attend. Visitors made welcome. H. S. ALLEN, Secretary.

DIED.

At Ashland, Or., Feb. 16, Frank Price, of consumption, aged 17 years.

In this city, at the home of G. C. Love, 324 Front street, Mrs. Ancelit C. Carlson, aged 38 years, a native of Spain. Feb. 18.

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IN AND ABOUT PORTLAND.

The Unaccountable Disappearance of Another Man From Albina.

Test at Vancouver—Teachers' Examination—Three Crates From the Locks Recovered—Water Pipes Filled With Mud.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.—The first quarterly examination for teachers for the present year will be held at the courthouse on Wednesday of next week. The county superintendent Wetzell expects that time to have all the rooms which are being very completely refitted for his use. The county superintendent is required to conduct examinations three times each year, and his diplomas. All teachers who have taught three years successively in the public schools of the state and hold valid first grade certificates are entitled to receive a state certificate without further examination. Holders of second grade certificates are recommended by the county board of examiners. If a teacher holds a first grade certificate, and has taught four years successively in the schools of the state, he is entitled to a state diploma upon taking an examination in the branches of reading, composition and physical geography. A state diploma he may receive upon taking an examination in the branches of general history and literature, algebra, general history of the United States, civil law, provided he has taught a three months' school-law, provided he has taught four successive school-years in the schools of the state. Four examinations will be conducted at this place in connection with the examination for county certificates.

WHAT PEOPLE SAY OF US.—Mayor De Lashmutt has received a letter from a man in Nebraska who has become interested in THE OREGONIAN that he wishes to be started in. THE OREGONIAN that he wishes to be started in. He says that what present prices are, and if they are satisfactory he will bring a few car loads here. There is a big demand for potatoes here. They wore a little frosted in the cold weather, and snow blockaded the railroads, but the price up, but there are dealers now and no Eastern shipments of potatoes now and no Eastern shipments are needed. A car load sent here some weeks ago could not be sold, and it is understood that they are supposed to live in the wilds and among the Indians, unregenerate and unsophisticated, and to be an unregenerate and unsophisticated people, but it is doubtful if there is a man, woman or a potato dealer in the wide world who would write to the mayor of any city to find out the price of potatoes.

THE GATE CASES FOUND.—The three gates, which were lost a short time since from the locks at Oregon City, have been found by the steamer Hassalo. One of them was recovered a week ago last Tuesday, while Robert Johnson's steam drill pile driver was at work at the locks, during the day. The gate was found in the water, and was picked up on the bank. They were taken up the river by the steamer yesterday and are soon to be replaced in position. The company are sparing no expense—a large number of men are now employed—and the work is being pushed to a speedy completion, so that boats are expected to be able to come down through the locks within two weeks. The Union Mills, of Portland within two weeks. The Union Mills, which were at Salem during the high water, rendered excellent service by removing machinery and livestock from inundated ranches, a service which was done gratis.

THE OREGON'S DISAPPEARANCE.—The Oregonian correspondent furnishes the following: Two weeks ago yesterday a Swede or Norwegian by the name of Olaf Richardson left Albina to go to the O. & C. office to collect a bill which he had not been seen since. He had been employed in the Albina saw mill, and was discharged from the Albina Water Company, for whom he had been doing work for the Albina Water Company, for whom he had been doing work at the Key City hotel for a few days previous, and was considered a sober and steady man, as his effects are still in the room he had left them, and it has been ascertained that he has not collected bills due him; his friends are very much concerned in knowing the cause of his non-appearance. They fear some accident may have befallen him, as it was during the high water when he said he was going to Portland.

SERVICES IN HONOLULU.—Judge Deady is now presiding at Honolulu. It is well known that the church stands up stoutly and sturdily for Judge Deady, and consequently it may be imagined how much it grates on his senses to read in a Honolulu journal that he is "Judge Deady of San Francisco." In the *Daily Bulletin* of Honolulu, January 24, we find it stated that "Judge Deady, of San Francisco, occupied a seat on the bench this morning while the court was in session." Apart from this outrage, more frequent mention of Judge Deady is made in other connections by the Hawaiian press than we may suppose the Oregon judge is enjoying himself well in the realms of his ebon subject of the tropical islands.

BOOKINGS DESIRED.—Postmaster Roby has received a letter from Mrs. Quackenbush, of Black Rock, Pike, Wis., asking for information about her son, Robert Quackenbush, who was in Portland as an agent, and said he would be home at Christmas, but he has not been heard of since. If any one knows Robert's whereabouts he will please inform the anxious mother. W. H. Peugh, of Nasa, Sherman county, writes to learn the residence of Mrs. May Adams, who, he says, has heard something to her advantage by writing to him, as Postmaster Roby receives large numbers of such letters in regard to persons of whom he knows nothing and in whom he can have no possible interest, he hands them over to the newspapers to be published for the benefit of interested.

UNION RIFLES.—A special meeting of the board of school directors was held yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the parlors of the Commercial National bank. Present were Chairman Thompson, Directors Ladd and Durham, Superintendent of Schools Ella C. Sabin and Clerk S. Allen. The chairman briefly stated the object of the call, which was the election of a teacher to fill the position vacated by Miss Agnes, resigned, in the Atkinson school. After considering the claims of various applicants, Miss Belle R. Southworth, of Tacoma, formerly of the Minneapolis schools, was chosen. Miss Southworth will enter at once upon the duties of the position, which is the fourth grade B class in the Atkinson school.

FIRE PIPES.—The water pipes near the intersection of Second and Taylor streets, having become plugged up with mud, an excavation was made just in the street yesterday afternoon and the pipe to a swell pipe was removed. The street water shot across the street against the building occupied by Meier & Frank as though it was forced by an engine, and people who desired water that way found it more convenient to obtain it. When the electric motor went by the conductor and several small boys standing on the platform were treated to a democratic shower bath. After the water had run a while it let up and was forced out and the plug was replaced.

JUDGE ST. SOLDIERS.—Colonel Milton Waldo's bond in the sum of $35,000 with D. P. Thompson, Cyrus Beigh, Thomas M. Richardson, C. F. Swigert and George W. Weidler, as sureties, has been approved by the solicitor of the treasury department in Washington and he will take charge of the office on the first of March. He has made the following appointments: Cashier and Chief Deputy, A. H. Hoxsey. Deputies for Oregon, C. Pierce, George N. Fawcett and Nathaniel Wakefield; deputies for Washington, A. A. Putnam of Tacoma and John A. Todd, of Spokane Falls; Frank Pierce, Fawcett, Putnam and Todd are old soldiers.

LOST HIS GRIP.—Yesterday afternoon, as a cable car was coming around the curve at Fifth and Alder streets, the cable stopped and the gripman dropped the grip and on the curve could not pick it up again. A crowd of several hundred persons collected and watched the process of pushing the car out of the curve with much interest. The crowd cheered and conductors with their blue uniforms presented a very imposing appearance as the car was finally pushed at the car and finally started and rode off, with great clangor of bells. The cable car will be an old story in a few days, but they are the great attraction at present.

IN MEMORIAM.—Mr. A. H. Johnson was lower down on the East Side yesterday sounding the depth of water in front of his property where the wharf was washed out by the flood. At the stern of the steamer Bertie Minor, which is lying there, the water is thirty-six feet in depth. At the upper end of the wharf there is a big log and some drift, which Mr. Johnson has engaged Captain Whiteaw to remove for him. He will begin work this morning. When the obstruction is removed and the water rechecked it is thought there will be sufficient water in front to accommodate any ship that visits this port. If there is not, Mr. Johnson will have any amount dredged out.

THE BOXING TOURNAMENT.—The amateur boxing tournament at the Pavilion Friday and Saturday nights promises to be quite lively, as the entries are numerous and some good scientific and hard hitting may be looked for. The gloves used will be 6 ounces, and the number of rounds, four, with a minute's rest between each round. The conditions will be weighed in just before the contests to have the weights correct. The light and middle weights promise to be well contested, but the entries for the heavy weights are few, unless entries are made more than has been done up to the present time.

THE NEWS.—Intelligence reached this city yesterday of the death, at Canyon City, Colorado, of Charles F. Burrage, son of C. W. Burrage and brother of J. Burrage, for many years residents of this city. The funeral services and burial will take place in Portland, his parents being on their way here for this purpose. They will receive the sympathy of a large circle of friends in their bereavement.

A FINE GIFT.—Captain Hunter, of the steamer City Eder, presented, yesterday, to Rev. C. E. Cline, pastor of St. Paul's M. E. church, the fine pipe organ brought down from Alaska. Mr. Cline has expended on its musical history for a number of Sundays past, and the bird falls into appropriate hands.

WE HEAR, BE GLAD to see our friends in our new quarters H. F. corner Second and Ash streets. Honeyman's will find our large stock of hardware arranged in the most convenient form. Honeyman Hardware Co.

NORTHERN LIGHT OMITTED.—In the list of new vessels classed by the Board of Trade Monday evening, the name of P. A. Marquam was accidentally omitted.

BACK FROM SPOKANE.—Assistant General Freight Agent S. G. Fulton, of the Northern Pacific, is back from Spokane and the Sound. He describes the scene along the road for some distance south of Tacoma as very pretty, the snow hanging on trees and bushes in fantastic shapes, being in large flakes and damp. There was not enough to interfere in any way with travel. He reports business lively at Spokane, with increased activity promised soon. The building operations which were suspended during the cold snap are reviving, and everything points to a busy season in all lines of business.

SEVERELY HURT.—A lady and gentleman passing along in the vicinity of the Exposition building an evening or two since, fell over a pile of lumber which had been carelessly left lying across the sidewalk. The lady had her hands inside her cloak, as the evening was cold and coming on, the lumber in the darkness, was unable to protect herself by putting out her hands to break the force of her fall and consequently struck her nose and chin on the lumber, inflicting serious injury. It it can be ascertained who left that lumber on the sidewalk he will probably be sued for damages.

CARNIVAL MASQUERADE.—We are told by those having the affair in hand, that the preparations for the Carnival masquerade to be given by the Portland Social Turn Verein on the 22nd of the month are progressing very favorably, and every effort is being put forth to make this an exceedingly successful social event. All those attending the ball can rest assured that nothing will take place to interrupt the harmony of the evenings, and those not attending will regret that they were not there to participate in the enjoyment.

THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC.—General Manager Koehler, of the Southern Pacific, is at Riddles, and will start this morning for the south, hoping to get through to West Fork. To-morrow he proposes going over the Canyon mountains to join Superintendent Pratt's force, which is working north. No train has got into Ashland from the south for two or three days on account of snow. Trains are running with their former regularity between here and Corvallis on the West Side, and between here and Roseburg on the East Side.

THE SAND WASHED OUT.—The current of water which ran through a portion of Front street for several days, washed the sand out from between the Belgian blocks to a depth of two inches or more, making the streets uncomfortable and unsafe for horses. Some think the city should at once have had sand spread over the street to fill up these cavities, but the street committee do not think this necessary as they will soon be filled with mud and dirt.

THE U. P.'S NEW STEAMER.—Work on the new Union Pacific's steamer, at Steffen's ship yard, is progressing rapidly. The high water which covered the unfinished ribs of the boat, set the work back somewhat but now all is again going smoothly. The boat is to be a propeller, and is expected to eclipse anything on the coast, in the way of speed. She will engage in work on the Sound, and is expected to be finished about the first of August.

THE TURNERS' MASQUERADE.—With the steamer due to-day Mr. F. Peters, the largest costumer on the Pacific coast, will bring to this city his entire outfit of costumes and masquerade suits for the grand carnival which takes place Saturday night at the new Exposition building. Mr. Peters will make his display at Turn Hall, where he will be prepared to furnish everything from the wants of the small boy to those of the most fastidious.

BOATS AT THE BONE YARD.—All the boats at the bone yard, down the river, are again in shipshape condition, being straightened out since the high water. The T. J. Potter, which was damaged to the extent of about $300 in a collision with the government boats at the time of the latter's breaking away, has been taken back to the yard from her temporary quarters in the Columbia. She is soon to be repaired.

MEETINGS IN ALBINA.—At the Congregational church in Albina, Rev. J. W. Sneed, pastor, special services have been conducted during the past ten days with a constantly increasing attendance. For several days past the meetings have been conducted by Rev. F. J. Culver, of East Portland, who will continue the work the remainder of the present week.

TEACHERS' MEETING.—The ninth of the series of teachers' meetings will be held at the school house in district No. 40, east of Mount Tabor. Extensive preparations are being made for an excellent meeting. The Mount Tabor motor line runs to within three-fourths of a mile of the schoolhouse. This makes the place easy of access.

A COLD WAVE.—Weather bulletins received yesterday by the Northern Pacific show quite a cold wave in Montana, east of the Rockies. The mercury at Bozeman showed 3 below, at Livingston 6, at Billings 10. West of the mountains the temperature was considerably higher. Missoula registering 20 above, and Hope 25 above.

A GOOD TIME COMING.—At the meeting of the street committee yesterday, a number of petitions for street improvements which were laid aside at the approach of winter were taken into consideration. With the advent of fine weather the regular grade on street work will begin and contractors will be happy.

THE GOV. NEWALL ARRIVED.—The steamer Gov. Newall has arrived in port, and now lies at the Oregon Pacific's dock at the foot of Taylor street. Captain Hill has been building a new store on Beaver slough, and his wife Mrs. Captain Minnie Hill, intend to quit the trading business.

OF INTEREST TO ATTORNEYS.—John H. Elwell, clerk of the superior court at Vancouver, Wash., sent the following dispatch last evening: "Please say for the information of Portland attorneys that the superior court here opens to-morrow with juries. All jury cases will be called."

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.—The board of directors of the Columbia Fire and Marine Insurance Company have elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Frank Dekum; vice-president, A. H. Bergman; secretary and manager, Peter Outcult.

JUST RECEIVED—The early spring styles of Dunlap hats at C. H. Meussdorffer's, 145 First street.

SALES OF REAL ESTATE.

List of Deeds Filed for Record in the Recorder's Office Yesterday.

Yesterday 10 deeds, aggregating $15,401 were filed, making the total number of deeds filed since the first of the month 192; value of the transactions, $866,756.

Since January 1 to date there have been filed 557 deeds, aggregating $1,402,821 40.

DEEDS RECORDED FEBRUARY 18.

S. F. Adams et al, to M. J. Littlenage, 76 86-100 acres sec 2, 1 S, 4 E, Nov. 28, 1889; $300.

Ira S. Smith and wife to John Olson, lot 4, blk 17, Multnomah, Feb. 12; $360.

Frank M. Warren and wife to F. M. Saunders, lot 8, blk 2, Central Albina add, Feb. 14; $300.

B. P. Cardwell and wife to H. Taubenheimer, on lly ½ lot 2, blk 52, city, Feb. 18; $15,000.

S. J. Barber et al to Fretzman & DeFrance, lot 6, blk 1, Albion add, May 24, 1889; $250.

J. Senoffsky and wife to Golda Goldstein, lot 4, blk 105, Stephens add, Feb. 17; $1200.

S. Goldsmith and wife to W. S. Couser, lots 1 and 16, blk 2, Smith subdiv and add, East Portland, Jan. 20; $400.

Wm. Reid and wife to F. E. Habersham, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, blk 70, and W ½ lots 5 and 6, blk 70, Albina, Jan. 15; $1.

Annie Dunn to Annie Moore, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, sec 8, 1 N, 2 E, Feb. 18; $200.

Paul Labbe et al. to H. J. Mafer, lot 3 in subdiv of blk F, Albina homestead, Feb. 15.

BOND FOR DEED.

P. Hill to H. Kenny, lot 6, blk 21, Holladay add, Feb. 15; $1600.

H. C. Stratton to Cora E. Struble, lots 9 and 10, blk 12, Central Albina, July 10, 1888; $550.

BUSINESS ITEMS.

Will be found an excellent remedy for sick headache. Carter's Little Liver Pills. Thousands of letters from people who have used them prove this fact. Try them.

Advice to Mothers.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhœa. Price 25 cts. a bottle

NOTICE.

We take this method of informing the public and our many patrons in this city and surrounding country that all goods manufactured by us are put up under our own name and brand. Our reason for this statement is that goods from Puget sound are being brought to this city by one of our wholesale grocers under their own name, and as retail dealers might be misled, we wish to put them on their guard. PORTLAND CRACKER CO.

CONTRACTORS.

We are ready to sub-let twenty miles of railroad work on the O. R. & N. R. R. from La Grande to Elgin, consisting of scraper and rock work. Will let it all or in five-mile sections to responsible parties. For particulars apply to D. E. Huyck, at La Grande, or to J. S. Autenelle, Edmond hotel, Portland, Oregon.

TUBBS' HOTEL, OAKLAND, CAL.

With its 300 rooms, single and in suits, is first-class in every respect; the best family and tourist hotel adjacent to San Francisco; trains every half hour; rates very reasonable. J. M. Davies, lessee; C. R. Hughes, manager.

JEFFERSON STREET FERRY COMPANY

Will run the steamer Louise Vaughn for the accommodation of foot passengers from Jefferson street to Stephens addition, from 7 A. M. till 10 A. M., and from 3 P. M. to 6 P. M., until further notice.

NOW OR NEVER.

100 elegant suitings will be slaughtered for only $32 a suit, worth $45, at Kohn's merchant tailoring department.

Tickets to and From Europe.

Excursion tickets to all points in Europe and England sold at Northern Pacific ticket office, No. 121 First street, corner Washington.

Hacking, coughing, spitting, stop it with Kidd's Cough Syrup, 25 cents.

PICKED UP OVER THE WAY.

The Report of the Principals of School District No. 21.

They Will Have an Assemblage Hall—Some Important Street Work—More Diphtheria Painters at Work—Notes.

The principals of the schools in this district, 21, have submitted their reports for the month ending February 14, from which the following summary is taken:

SCHOOLS.	Number Enrolled.	Number Belonging.	Average Daily Attendance.	Per cent. of Attendance.	Not Absent nor Tardy.	Tardiness.	Visitors.
Central	351	344	312.7	96	221	13	30
North Central	198	196	250.5	90	124	6	10
Stephens	382	277	226.0	92	85	16	16
Totals	1361	1024	900 2	94	430	35	72

ASSEMBLAGE HALL.

The school board have settled upon one thing in connection with the North Central school house that is meritorious. As it now stands, it contains six rooms. Four rooms are to be added, making a fine ten-room building. The two rooms on the second floor will be arranged so they can be thrown into one room, by simply raising a sliding door. These rooms are 24x28. By putting them together it gives a fine assemblage hall 34x58. There is no room in any of the school buildings where a large public meeting of any sort may be held. It often happens that several rooms give an exercise or a school meeting is held. On such occasions, an assemblage room comes in very handy.

IMPORTANT STREET WORK.

The prospects are favorable that H and G, and possibly F streets, will be improved this year to the eastern limits of the city. Without any doubt one of these streets will be improved at least.

Councilman Macmahon stated in the council Monday night that there is a move on foot to improve Fourth street, McMillan's addition, from Holladay avenue to the Albina line.

It is also stated that the Fifth street matter is in readiness to be pushed through the council, and will be improved from Elsworth to Grant street. One through improvement is worth more to the city than half a dozen fractional improvements, and it is hoped the council will insist on full and substantial improvements.

MORE DIPHTHERIA.

Four serious cases of diphtheria have been reported to the city marshal from the row of houses on N, between Ninth and Tenth streets. One of these cases proved fatal several days ago. The customary steps have been taken to prevent a spreading of the disease.

UNLOADING REDWOOD.

The schooner Bertie Minor is discharging 300,000 feet of redwood lumber on the remaining south half of the Johnson wharf, all of which will be used by an East Side factory.

THE NEW MEMBER.

M. J. Macmahon, the new councilman from the First ward, took right hold of business at the session of the council Monday night. It is thought he will make a useful member.

COMMENCED PAINTING

The painters have commenced work on the outside of the new chapel of the German Evangelical church, on Sixth and P streets. It will be a neat edifice when finished.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The cable of the Stark street ferry has been recovered and lies on Water street. It seems to be as strong as ever.

Rev. Skipworth commenced a series of revival meetings Monday night and they are being conducted with great success.

Mr. H. C. Hill was down town yesterday for the first time in about a week. He is not entirely recovered, but is much improved.

A tree was cut from the Beacon tract, which it is estimated will make fourteen cords of wood. It is the "last of the Mohicans."

The school board held a business meeting Monday night. The board is getting everything in shape for the annual March school meeting.

As the city council has appropriated the money for a sewerage system it is presumed the city surveyor will prepare the data and forward the same to the engineer, Rudolph Hering, who is to prepare the system.

Marshal Morgan was formally presented with the beautiful star, mentioned the other day, last night at Welch's drug store. Mr. Welch made the presentation speech which was responded to in an appropriate manner.

The people at Sunnyside have taken no action toward securing ground for a new school house. With the other expensive improvements on hand it will be impossible for the school board to provide a building and purchase the ground also.

In regard to the complaints made about the water in Brooklyn creek being caused to overflow it seems to be the opinion of the city attorney the matter is not for the city to settle. If one neighbor injure another he has recourse for damages.

A letter written by Leighton Pine, of South Bend, Indiana, containing valuable information in the establishment of city water works, was handed to the water committee and will receive consideration. It is very doubtful about the various committees being able to make their reports next Monday night. There is a vast amount of business to do.

THE ACORN OPENING TO-NIGHT.

Expectation has long been on tiptoe concerning the opening of the new saloon at 167 Third street. It has long been known that those popular gentlemen, Messrs. J. A. Watson and H. C. Hippie were preparing an elegant resort for their friends, but no idea had been formed of the costly appointment of the new place.

The house consists of the barroom proper, a reading-room, banquet-room, private cardrooms and toilet-room. The rooms are furnished throughout in antique oak, the wainscoting, railings, partitions, bar and mirror, and picture frames being uniformly of this material. Several large mirrors of heavy bevel plate glass are inserted in convenient places about the rooms. On entering, the reading or office department is first noticed, being comfortably furnished with the current periodicals and a large writing-desk. This apartment is screened by heavy satin draperies in old gold and crimson, the background of the portierres being in blue. A set of heavy portierres are stretched across the rear of the barroom proper, being in old gold and crimson the curtains above being of heavy brown satin drapery.

The rear of the building is portioned on one side into two card rooms, with a swinging door, which thus provides for their being thrown together into a banquet room. On the other side is another private room, and the toilet room. This last is novel in its arrangement, being flanked by a sloping layer of sheet lead, over which an onion grating is placed. The appointments of this room are the finest obtainable. All the curtains are offset with heavy fringes to match. All the "Acorn's" rooms are large and elegantly furnished.

Richly designed chandeliers for both electric light and gas are provided, and the carpets from linoleum to the finest Wilton, are of the choicest design and texture. The bar is arranged on a new and very handsome plan and that it will be constantly furnished with the finest of goods for the thirsty palate, goes without saying with all who know the genial and experienced proprietors. Their friends are legion and the success of the new house is thus assured from the start.

The opening occurs to-night, and a cordial invitation is extended to the public to come and see Messrs. Watson & Hipple in their new and elegant resort.

COMMITTEES APPOINTED.

President Donald Macleay of the Board of Trade has appointed committees as follows:

On reorganization and taking steps toward securing the erection of a chamber of commerce building—W. S. Ladd, D. P. Thompson, Samuel Hellshu, E. D. McKee, G. E. Mooney, D. M. Dunne, E. Quackenbush, C. M. Idleman, Herbert Bradley, Ben Selling, T. F. Osburn, James Flower, Edward Hughes, D. D. Oliphant, Ellis G. Hughes, Donald Macleay, ex-officio.

To prepare a statement showing the inefficiency of the postal arrangements in this and neighboring cities—George Taylor, jr., William Kapus, E. P. Earhart.

To wait on G. W. Hunt—F. K. Arnold, D. M. Dunne, E. J. Dellard.

CAPE MEARES LIGHT.

The following is among recent notices published by the United States coast survey:

A new light has been established on the extreme western end of Cape Meares, 27½ miles S. S. E. ¼ E. from Tillamook Rock light, and 9½ miles N. by W. from Cape Lookout. Its geographical position being as follows: Latitude 45 deg. 29 min. N., longitude 123 deg. 58 min. 35 sec. W.

The light is fixed white varied by a red flash every minute. It is 223 feet above the water, is visible 21½ miles, and is shown from a structure consisting of a low white tower (in form a frustum of an octagonal pyramid) surmounted by a black lantern.

REMOVED.

New Home Sewing Machine Company removed to 169 Second street, next to Buck's gun store.

The Limited Fast Mail

On the Union Pacific consumes but seventy hours from Portland to Chicago, which is the fastest time ever made from the Pacific coast. Ticket office 81 First street, corner of Oak.

Lower Than the Lowest.

The Canadian Pacific are now selling first-class limited tickets through to Chicago for $59, second $34. Office, No. 8 Washington street.

Purchase your tickets and reserve your sleeping car accommodation at No. 121 First street, corner Washington, office Northern Pacific Railroad.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Mr. James Hacheney, county treasurer, was down town yesterday for the first time since he was taken sick six weeks ago.

The Oregon Pacific's dock is again assuming the old time appearance. All the mud which covered the dock to a depth of 28 inches, has at last been removed, but not of eight will be received until the Oregon City locks are repaired.

The wharf at the foot of Oak street is being repaired. Yesterday a pile driver was at work driving piles to replace the ones recently torn away by the high water. Numerous other docks are soon to undergo a similar operation.

Thirty or forty mechanics are shortly to arrive in Portland from Tennessee. They are all young fellows, and have been in communication with the Board of Immigration for some time. They are coming with enough in their pockets to start them out, and they propose to "grow up with the country."

During the month that the Southern Pacific has been blockaded, all the express for points on that road has been sent by steamer from San Francisco to the Portland office, but the outgoing State of California last night, carried back to the Bay City the entire month's accumulation, the road being now open from the California end as far north as Glendale.

A dispatch received from San Francisco late last night says: "Announcement is made to-day from Southern Pacific headquarters of the appointment as ticket agent at Portland, of J. R. Kirkland, late agent for the Union Pacific in this city." Kirkland will succeed C. F. Batcelle, resigned. The appointment, which takes effect March 1, is something of a surprise, as the general understanding was that Kirkland was going East.

The ship Clan Mackenzie still lies at the foot of E street. No arrangement has as yet been made looking towards repairing the vessel, as the contract has not been let. A part of the crew are kept faithfully at the pumps the most of each day to keep ahead of the water, which continues to find its way through the patched bow. Being rather windy and the sun shining brightly yesterday, Captain Simpson concluded to dry his sails. The greater part of the afternoon the yards were lined with seamen who were letting out the sails, that have for so long a time been lashed close to the masts.

The State of California, which left last night for San Francisco, carried a large cargo, a part of which consisted of 2,500 sacks of potatoes. This article is at present high in the Bay City. The Oregon is due to-night about 6 o'clock, having been repaired, and otherwise overhauled. She brings a full cargo, and a good many passengers. The Columbia will be laid by for a couple of trips to receive a thorough cleaning up, and, in the meanwhile, the Santa Rosa will continue her run. The Geo. W. Elder has finished discharging her cargo of oil and salmon, at Steamship dock, and sails to-night for the Sound. She has aboard only 150 tons of general merchandise, but will make connections with the San Francisco steamers, and receive about as much more freight. She will then continue on her way to Alaska.

FAST TIME.

The Northern Pacific Railroad Vestibule Dining and Sleeping Car Line, daily service to St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago. No change of cars and twenty-five miles the shortest route to Chicago. Tourist sleeping cars through, placing passengers in the Union depot, Chicago, seven hours and thirty-six minutes ahead of other lines. Passenger and ticket office, No. 121 First street, corner Washington.

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A CHANGE OF TIME.

The Union Pacific 7 A. M. fast train has made a change of time, and will hereafter leave Portland at 9 A. M.

Double Your Money Before the Raise—

Don't forget that lots in Rosedale addition to Astoria will be $20 a lot on and after the 25th of March; 16 lots $180. 49 First street, W. Reidt, manager.

For European steamship accomodations, Pullman sleeping car reservations and tickets to all points in the United States, Canada and Europe call on G. S. Taylor, City Ticket Agent Union Pacific Railway, 81 First street, corner Oak.

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Coughs, colds and sore throat cured by Kidd's Cough Syrup. Price 25 cents.

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When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria

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Hacks for riding, first hour	$2.00
Each additional hour	1.00
Calling, first hour	1.50
Each additional hour	1.00
Theaters and Parties.	
One or two persons, to and from	$2.00
Three or four persons, to and from	3.00
No charge for baggage that can be taken on hacks.	
Two Horse Coupes.	
Riding and calling, per hour	$1.00
To and from theaters and parties, per couple	$1.50

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At sale prices, which we will guarantee to be from $5 to $7.50 less than regular price.
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Preparatory to Our Grand Spring Opening
Of which due notice will be given through these columns, we shall clear every department in our establishment of its Remnants and Odds and Ends accumulated in our late sale. We shall commence our ODD AND END SALE MONDAY MORNING, FEB. 17, and will be continued, from day to day until every Remnant and Odd and End is cleared. We have marked the prices on them so that they will go quickly, and would advise our patrons to come early for choice bargains.

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Remnants of Black Silks.
Warp Henriettas.
Remnants of Mohairs.
Remnants of Sicilians.
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Remnants of Serges.
Remnants of Drap d' Almas.
Remnants of Cashmeres.
Remnants of Tamise.
Remnants of Brocades.
SILKS.
Remnants of Black Gros Grain.
Remnants of Surah.
Remnants of Rhadame.
Remnants of Faille Francaise.
Remnants of Plaid De Soe.
Remnants of Colored Henriettas.
Remnants of Shasta Cloth.
Remnants of Beige.
Remnants of Alpacas.
Remnants of Plaids.
Remnants of Checks.
Remnants of Ladies' Cloths.
Remnants of Broad Cloths.
Remnants of Colored Velvets.
Remnants of Plushes.
Remnants of Plaid Velvets.
Remnants of Astrachans.
SILKS.
Remnants Colid Gros Grain.
Remnants Colid Surah.
Remnants Colid Rhadames.
Remnants Faille Francaises.
Remnants Satins.

FANCY GOODS DEP'T.
Remnants of Embroidery.
Remnants of Lace.
Remnants of Ribbons.
Remnants of Sash Ribbons.
Remnants of Black Flouncing.

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THE FLOODS OF '61 AND '90.

Several persons send letters of inquiry as to the recent flood in the Willamette river, desiring to be told whether it was greater or less than the flood of 1861. From all obtainable information we think it may be accepted as certain that the volume of the flood of '61 was considerably greater than that of the recent one.

The highest water of the recent flood at Eugene City was noted on Tuesday, February 4, at 12:30 P. M. It stood twenty-two feet one inch above low water mark, lacking just two feet of reaching the high water mark of Sunday, December 1, 1861. At Eugene City the recent flood gave only one inch higher water than that of January, 1881, and at Salem and most other points on the river above Oregon City careful comparisons show that the water was not so high during the recent flood as in 1861 by about two feet. The difference was a little more or less in different places, according to changes in the width, course or depth of the river bed during twenty-eight years; but it is certain that the flood of 1861 still remains the greatest on record in the upper valley of the Willamette. The same is true as to the Umpqua.

On the other hand, it is equally certain that the Willamette river at Portland, in February, 1890, was about thirty inches higher than in December, 1861. The difference is accounted for by the fact that the Columbia river was higher on this occasion than on the former one, and as its channel was well filled by its own flood, the waters poured into it by the Willamette could not so rapidly escape. Again, the channel has been considerably narrowed at Portland by docks and embankments, and the piers of the bridges presented considerable obstacles to escape of the waters.

Most of the rainfall that produced the flood of 1861 came in the space of about three days, while the rainfall that produced the flood of 1890 was extended over the space of nearly fifteen. Probably there was more precipitation during the storm of 1890 than during that of 1861, but it was extended over much more time. Consequently there was not the same sudden rush of waters, and the flood did not reach an equal hight. Some of the tributaries of the Willamette may have been as high as in 1861, or even higher, according as they were affected by presence of snow when the rain began, or by other local conditions; but taken as a whole the volume of the Willamette at the utmost swell of the recent flood was beyond question considerably less than its volume at the hight of the flood of 1861. In the absence of exact information from the upper valley, and judging from appearances at Portland, it was at first supposed that the flood of 1890 was the greatest ever poured out of the Willamette; but it is now known to have been a good deal less than that of 1861, and but little greater than that of 1881. A flood in the upper valley equal to that of 1861 would cause a loss incalculably greater than that which has been suffered now. Within reach of such a flood there is probably twenty times as much property as there was in '61, and a further rise of two feet upon the recent flood would have caused appalling losses. It will be well henceforward in making improvements to keep the high water marks in view.

REVENUE REDUCTION NECESSARY.

Western members of congress and Western newspapers are under strong temptat on to forget the solemn pledge of the republican party, to reduce the revenue of the government to the level of its actual needs. The country does not groan under the burden of federal taxation. It works no specific, visible hardship. Nobody complains that it presses hardly upon him. Nobody can show that he would be directly and visibly relieved by the repeal of any federal tax. Even the internal revenue tax is so transferred and diffused that it is difficult to say who pays it or who would be relieved by its repeal. We doubt very much whether the repeal of the tobacco tax would either diminish the cost of the weed to the consumer, or increase the price of the plant to the grower. The gain would probably be infinitesimally divided between all the manufacturing and trading middlemen, who are making profit enough now. The effect of the repeal of the sugar tax would probably be more marked, but we doubt, again, whether the consumer would reap the entire benefit of the removal of the sixty to ninety per cent. tax. Even if he would, he isn't clamoring for it. Nobody grumbles very loudly at the price of sugar. The practical evils of the taxation that produces the revenue surplus are not very severely felt.

On the other hand, we of the West see so many ways in which we could spend the surplus revenue to advantage, if we could only get hold of it. We want money for rivers and harbors, for jetties, canals and boat railways, for land surveys and irrigation, for public buildings and improvements, and, in common with the rest of the country for naval construction and coast defenses. It is true we can't get as much of the surplus as we want, for these purposes. Our friends in the East do not share our intense and abiding conviction of their urgent importance. Besides they have their own views about the surplus. They want to fool it away in pension bills, Blair educational bills and other sentimental jobs. But we would get our share in a general grab at it. There is certainly a great temptation in this knowledge. The money comes so easily, and we want it so badly, that it requires all the virtuous self-denial the average Western congressman is endowed with to stand up firmly in favor of carrying out the pledge of the republican party to reduce the revenue to the actual needs of the government.

Nevertheless, the temptation should be resisted. Revenue reduction is necessary, and not alone because the party is pledged to it, though that is a strong practical reason. The republican party will go into the next campaign in sorry plight, if it takes no steps to reduce the revenue after promising it in two successive national platforms. It will be in still worse case if, instead of reducing the revenue, it increases the expenses of the government and so turns the surplus into a deficit. Appropriations are a good thing, but it isn't a good thing to lose a national election. There is a day of judgment coming. The western congressmen who think it would be pleasanter to spend the revenue than to reduce it will do well to bear this in mind. The policy of revenue reduction is sound, apart from the narrow partisan consideration. It is bad economy to collect more money by taxation than we need, even if it does come easy and even if there are many pleasant ways of spending it. However insensible the tax, somebody pays it. There is injustice somewhere; even if there is no hardship and no complaint. The limit of legitimate taxation is the legitimate need of the government. Anything beyond this is unjust. Let the taxpayer have the spending of his own money.

For all these reasons, the republican party, now for the first time in fifteen years in full control of the government, must not forget its reiterated pledges of revenue reduction. The people expect it of them and will hold them to strict account if they fail. The ways and means committee will undoubtedly find difficulties in the way of reducing duties, but its business is to find a way to overcome these difficulties. For that are its members statesmen. With an utterly superfluous, burdensome and mischievous tax of $50,000,000 on raw sugar, and one of $20,000,000 on tobacco, which can be spared, though it injures nobody and its repeal would benefit nobody who needs relief, it ought to be easy to get rid of every dollar of surplus revenue, without much tariff tinkering. Then the tariff can be prudently revised, without much thought of its effect upon the revenues.

A CONFESSION OF JUDGMENT.

Hon. J. D. Geoghegan, of Clarke county, Washington, expresses regret that so many republican papers of that state criticise the slowness and inefficiency of the legislature, as such criticisms will, he fears, jeopard party success at the next election. This estimate may be correct but it looks to an outsider as if unqualified and outspoken disapprobation of the methods of that body by republican leaders and papers throughout the state is the only thing that will save the party at the next election. It is out of the question to hoodwink the commonsense of the people who have watched the proceedings of this legislature for several months, while to endorse and defend the same on a party basis, or indeed upon any other, is an insult to the intelligence of the masses. It is far better to say honestly and openly that a party majority that leaves a legislative body without a respectable minority, is unfortunate; that to add to this the men chosen for the first legislators of the state in some instances lacked ability, in others honesty, and in almost all experience; that the state having a republican majority, it is entitled to a working republican majority in the legislature and that it should and would have it; but that greater care should be used in selecting men for the position of law-makers than had been possible in the excitement and confusion attending the adoption of the constitution and the admission of the state.

It is a far more sensible plan to make a clean expose of facts that it is useless to deny, than to assume, in behalf of men who have been tried and found wanting, party virtues that entitle them to further consideration. Moreover, it is idle to try to impress the reading public with the wisdom and efficiency of men who have shown a painful lack of both, and who have been duly reported through the public press.

The republican party in Washington cannot hope to triumph at the next election upon the record of the present legislature. It will be most unwise for it to try to do so. Inasmuch as it will have to deal with voters of average intelligence, its managers will show wisdom in confessing mistakes, pointing out the extenuating circumstances that led to them, pledge the party to an avoidance of similar blunders, and make the pledge good by bringing its able men to the front.

The republican party is not without able representative men in its ranks in Washington, who, while honorably representing the party, can serve the people acceptably. These should be brought forward regardless of the clamor of lightweight statesmen whose claims for preferment are chiefly based upon their ardent desire to "go to the legislature," and to the fact that they were opponents of woman suffrage. These reasons have weight, of course, but they are not prime requisites to intelligent law-making, as Washington taxpayers have found to their cost. Hence honest confession of judgment in the premises, though somewhat humiliating, is the wisest course for the republican party of that state to pursue, when it comes before the people asking endorsement of its representatives at the polls.

The doubt expressed by the OREGONIAN a few days ago about the acceptance by the Central Pacific of the senate committee's plan for the readjustment of the company's debt to the government is strengthened by news from San Francisco of Mr. Huntington's attitude towards it. Senator Stanford, who built the Central Pacific, and has a sentimental desire to save it from being sold under the hammer, approves the senate plan; but Senator Stanford has very little to say about it. The Central Pacific long ago ceased to be anything more than a name. All control over it passed to the Southern Pacific, which was created to absorb it and did the work very effectually. The Central is now leased to the Southern Pacific and the owners of the latter road will decide its destinies. Mr. Huntington, the chief of them, will not hear of the plan. He knows the Central cannot be sold for more than the value of the first mortgage bonds, and will not burden the Southern with new mortgages to save a property which is already lost. Besides, if he were willing to give a second mortgage on the Southern Pacific, it would be worth nothing, as that road is already bonded to its full value. In the end, the United States will probably have to charge the Central Pacific debt to profit and loss.

There is an argument for free sugar in the manipulation of sugar trust stock by the Havemeyers. "During the last year these shrewd operators ran the stock from $70 up to $125 and down again to $50, selling when it was high and buying when it was low, and making, it is said, six million dollars by the operation. Of course this money was made at the expense of other stock gamblers, whose loss need not be much regretted by the general public. But the steady rise in the price of sugar which has accompanied the growth of the trust have been at the expense of the consuming public. This has accumulated profits for the trust scarcely less than those made out of the stock jobbing operations. The legal proceedings to break up this mischievous combination seem to come to nothing. There is a remedy which congress may apply if it has the courage. The removal of the tariff on refined as well as raw sugar would bring the products of German refineries at once into competition with the trust factories, and depress the price of the staple in all the American markets. It is all very well to protect home industry, but industry is one thing and stock jobbing monopoly another.

It appears that Prince Henry of Battenberg is not the dutiful son-in-law for whom Queen Victoria bargained when she secured him for the husband of her youngest daughter. He has no idea of gratitude to the queen for having taken him, literally speaking, "in out of the wet," given him apartments of regal magnificence, bestowed a princess of the royal blood upon him and furnished him with an abundance of pocket money. He yearns for his roystering chums and for revels becoming a prince, and takes no pains to conceal his contempt for the namby-pamby ideas of his venerable mother-in-law, who desires him to lead the life of a quiet, respectable father of a family and member of the royal household of Great Britain. Of course the queen is censurable, just as is a mother-in-law of low degree who desires a man who marries her daughter to be a decent, orderly family man. It is strange that her majesty should have fallen into the vulgar mistake of the common mother in this regard.

The atrocious murder reported from Yamhill county is unfortunately not without parallel in the history of the state, that of Mrs. Hagar in Clackamas county some years ago and more recently that of Mrs. Finlayson in Linn county furnishing similar examples. From the first of these murders the veil of mystery has never been fully raised, though a young man convicted on circumstantial evidence served a term of years in the penitentiary for complicity in what was a most wanton and unprovoked crime. In the latter case the young stepson of the victim, after making a clumsy effort to escape, was overhauled by a detective and brought back from Eastern Oregon to answer to the crime. Being convicted on his own confession, he cheated the gallows by committing suicide in the Albany jail. The murder of Mrs. Peteh by being shot while driving along a country road to her home in Yamhill county, is another instance of murderous brutality inflicted upon a woman in this state, while the shocking murder committed by Oscar Kelty in Polk county some two or three years ago, wherein his young wife was the victim of his insane and drunken fury, and his subsequent lynching at Dallas is well remembered. The story told concerning the shooting of Mrs. Scott at her country home in Yamhill, does not bear evidence of truth, and the public naturally looks to the husband for further elucidation of the events of that fateful morning, as he was the only person known to be on the place at the time besides the murdered woman. It is certainly to be hoped that the author of the cowardly deed, whoever he may be, will be duly apprehended, convicted and hanged, since a wretch so inhuman has forfeited his right to live.

If there is the convincing logic in figures with which these significant characters are popularly accredited, it is tolerably clear that Portland will have one new Federal building at least within a reasonable space of time. The Board of Trade of this city has presented figures which show plainly that the demand made by our congressional delegation for "more room" for the post-office and custom-house is not an idle or extravagant one, but one which is based on the actual necessities of the situation. It is shown that this customs district is the thirteenth in point of value in the nation, and that the postoffice, in which a total of 29,699,150 pieces of mail were handled in 1889, is so cramped for room that the mails have frequently to be stored in the halls until they can be properly worked in the mail rooms. Tables showing the number of vessels entered and cleared in 1889, together with their tonnage and the value of their cargoes, are submitted and comparisons between the business thus transacted and that of former years are instituted, the whole making a strong appeal for more room in which to handle the business. Facts like these commend themselves to the consideration of careful men, who readily recognize the dividing line between economy and parsimony, and the showing will no doubt be a valuable auxiliary to the efforts of our representatives to secure the appropriation asked, for a customs building adequate to the commercial needs of the district.

The British extradition treaty was ratified by the senate yesterday. There was little opposition, except to the clause providing extradition for minor offenses like manslaughter and swindling. The seriously objectionable clauses of the last treaty—those which made it possible, by a perversion of the intent of the treaty, to extradite political offenders, have been eliminated. As it now stands, the treaty will be more serviceable to the United States than to Great Britain. It will close Canada as a refuge to American thieves, and check the growth of the Montreal boodler's colony.

Among the actual duties of the people of Portland, as a business community, is the erection of a chamber of commerce building. Under the plan of subscribing stock enough for purchase of a site, and then raising money on bonds for a building, the purpose can easily be accomplished. Prosecution of this work should be a matter of public pride and public spirit. A building ought to be erected that would be an ornament to the city and a monument of the liberality of its citizens. Nor would it be a gratuitous enterprise, but would pay a handsome return as a stock investment.

An epidemic of murder appears to have broken loose in this state this week for the check of which the most heroic treatment is advisable, and indeed necessary. The report of murders and attempted murders published in THE OREGONIAN yesterday should be sufficient to impress the most sentimental anveller that ever went flowerluden to a felon's cell, to chemoen with him the cruel edict of the law in his case, with the fact that the gallows-tree is in blossom and should be permitted to bear full fruit.

Why doesn't the Washington legislature since it has proved its incapacity for real service to the state, adjourn? Probably because the pay is attractive to the members, two-thirds of whom never made so much money before. Besides, it is the dull season, and the members appear to realize that they couldn't do as well for themselves at anything else.

"Sandy" Olds is again convicted of murder in the first degree. The next thing in order no doubt will be the usual appeal, on exceptions, to the supreme court.

PERSONS WORTH KNOWING ABOUT.

Stepniak, the nihilist, writes his works now in English, after which they are revised by William Westall.

Vice-President Morton is going South for a few weeks. He is in need of rest after his wearing effort to find out what a vice president is for.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland will join the Central Presbyterian church, of New York, over which the Rev. William Merle Smith, Princeton's famous baseball pitcher, presides.

The Duchess of Albany, widow of Prince Leopold, has just received her diploma as a hospital nurse, after having taken the regular course and stood the usual examination.

Mr. de Navarro, whose son is to marry Mary Anderson, concludes that after all "newspapers are a very great institution. They knew all about my son's engagement long before I did."

The Shah of Persia has consented to give to the world, through the columns of a Paris paper, his impressions of his recent tour through Europe. He left in London some impressions that are not yet removed.

The Hon. M. J. Cain, for seventeen years one of the leading greenbackers of Iowa, and a candidate for governor in 1887, has repented of his political sins. He says the republican party is good enough for him, and hereafter he will be found battling in its ranks.

Dr. Onoproff, a tall, slender young Italian, with black hair and a pale face, is astonishing London with his power as a mind-reader. He calls himself a "psycho-physiologist." He is performing at the Aquarium. He is the cleverest mind-reader London has yet seen.

Mrs. Thomas Longman, who lately died in London, was the last member of the famous family that published for Scott, Southey, Coleridge, Moore, Campbell, Sidney Smith, Mackintosh, and Macaulay. She took a keen interest in all the great literary projects with which her husband was connected.

Clinton Scollard, the poet, is professor of English literature at Hamilton College. He has a very pleasant position. His lectures are so arranged this year that he can spend the next few weeks in Florida. Mr. Scollard is a young man, rather handsome and extremely genial. His success as a poet is unquestionable.

Wilson S. Bissell, Cleveland's former law partner, was served with a subpœna last week at a railroad station in Buffalo, to appear as a witness in the Ball-Post libel suit. As the train moved out Mr. Bissell said to the officer: "You may go to thunder. I'm not going to put off my wedding to testify in a libel suit. I'll get married to-night if I go to jail for it." The train reached Geneva all right.

Personal Mention.

E. P. McCormack, of Salem, is at the St. Charles.

B. F. Sweet, of Fon du Lac, Wis., is registered at the Gilman.

Ex-Governor S. F. Chadwick came down from Salem yesterday.

H. B. Barbour, a prominent St. Paulite, has been spending several days in the city.

W. K. Jones, Henry C. Cobell and W. A. Rafferty, of the United States army, are at the Gilman.

R. J. Rogers, of LaGrande, and J. R. Jones, of Centralia, two prominent cattlemen, are registered at the St. Charles.

SPIRIT OF THE NORTHWEST PRESS.

UNWISE ECONOMY IN PUBLIC EXTRAVAGANCE.

Eugene *Register*: Since the floods have subsided, investigation reveals the fact that abutments and piers have not been properly constructed to withstand the pressure brought against them, and a number of valuable bridges have been lost in consequence. Good rock or concrete foundations, and solid masonry for piers and abutments, will cost more than cribs, but the superstructure will last longer and the county will be gainer in the end. Now is a good time to figure on the difference in the cost between iron and wooden bridges.

NO PAY FOR RUNAWAYS.

Helena *Journal*: While the supreme court decision in the Thompson case insures the payment of the salaries of the members of the house of representatives, only those who participated in the sessions of the house will be paid. The section of the United States provides that when members are absent, each day's absence shall be deducted from their salaries unless such absence be excused on the ground of sickness. While the rumps are sick enough, their complaint will not appeal to the sympathy of the state treasury.

TENNOYER'S LAST OPPORTUNITY.

Eugene *Register*: Oregon has no use for an executive officer that will usurp legislative or judicial authority wherever it may come in conflict with his own distorted opinions. Before the people vote they will carefully weigh the value of his past services, which in many respects have been contrary to his professions, and the consistent with the powers and prerogatives of an executive officer. A republican nomination by the republicans will prove Pennoyer's opportunity to retire to his private business.

A POLITICAL EMETIC NEEDED.

Wallsburg *Times*: Our solons are covering themselves with notoriety, if not with something of more doubtful or ugly character. Between the cyprian autograph album business, the anti-boodle talk, and subsequent whitewash, the chamlain wrangle, and the inexplicable fusillanimous jugglery from day to day, and week to week, and other malodorous operations, we have a spectacle that is calculated to sicken the decent citizens of the commonwealth.

POKER GAMES AND FREE PRAYERS.

Spokane Falls *Review*: Some of the "boys" who have won big "pots" in poker games at Olympia ought to ease their consciences by paying the chaplain of the legislature. A half-dollar "rake-off" might be established in the big games, and the accumulations used for that purpose. That member who won $1500 in one night, and then listened to a free prayer the following morning, ought to be ashamed of himself.

PLEA FOR DIVERSIFIED FARMING.

Drain *Echo*: The cultivation of skill and thoughtfulness necessary to success with small fruits will aid in making other farm operations successful. At any rate, the time and labor diverted from grain growing, if this plan were universally adopted, would make farm life more diversified and interesting than now, besides paying better.

Why Dana Opposes Cleveland.

New York Sun.

The *Western Spirit*, a very lively journal conducted by Mr. B. J. Sheridan at Paola, Miami county, Kan., propounds to us some questions, which, upon such a demand, we are quite ready to answer:

"Why does the *Sun*, that, since the day of threatened imperialism of Grant, has been the strongest newspaper, offensive and defensive, in behalf of Jeffersonian democracy, fight Grover Cleveland, the second democratic president of those United States elected since 1856 and the first one to take his seat? A frank, fair answer to this question would probably be published by thousands of democratic papers, East and West, of

1. Because Grover Cleveland is not a Jeffersonian democrat,

2. Because he is not a democrat at all, but first, last, and exclusively, a promoter of Grover Cleveland.

3. Because, though elected president of the United States as a democrat, his administration was not conducted for the establishment of democratic ideas or for the benefit of the democracy, but for the personal aggrandizement of Grover Cleveland and the exaltation of his own preposterous self-conceit.

4. Because, in pursuit of his own cranky and whimsical notions, he adopted the anti-democratic Chinese system of literary examinations as the test of admission into the civil service of the government.

5. Because he wrecked the democracy in 1888 by interjecting into the platform the doctrine of free trade, to be realized through a free trade reform of the tariff, to the exclusion of every other reform thereof.

6. Because he is now professing to be devoted to the anti-democratic Australian scheme for the abolition of the well established democratic policy of universal suffrage.

7. Because, in the language of Mr. Tilden, "he is the most selfish politician I have ever known."

8. Because, under his lead, if he could lead anything but the schemes of his own ignorant, narrow and fruitless mind, the democracy would hold its fatal defeat.

If these reasons do not seem sufficient to our Kansas contemporary, it will not be difficult to add to the number.

The Ohio Hush-up.

New York World.

The indications are plain that neither political party in Ohio is anxious for an investigation of the recent senatorial auction in that state. Mr. Thomas, after charging directly that he was deprived of votes promised to him in return for his contributions of money to help the democratic candidates in close districts, by the finer and later work of Mr. Brice's agents, is said to be indisposed to say anything further. To give no credence to the suggestion that Mr. Thomas's silence has been procured by a promise of future honors for himself or his son. He is not, from what we hear of him, a man to be bribed to silence —especially (since his recent experience) with political promises. Mr. Thomas's backbiting is more probably due to a feeling which has been industriously thrust upon him that further revelations would "injure the party." This is the old cry of rogues who desire concealment of their crooked deeds. Mr. Thomas ought not be deceived by it. The covering of scandals, the hiding of iniquities, is what injures a party.

Weakness of Bellamy's Scheme.

Boston Herald.

One of the principal weaknesses of Mr. Bellamy's scheme for the regeneration of the world is that it is based upon the supposed existence of ideal men, and upon the other supposition that these ideal men (and women) are all alike. He seems to know very little about human nature, and he has failed to learn the fact that two men, who appear to be exactly alike, will do exactly opposite things when placed under circumstances which are identical. Mr. Bellamy's ideal community, made up of men and women whom he has "evolved from his inner consciousness," would undoubtedly do as he expects, but about one-half of the real flesh and blood men and women, who actually exist, would do the exact opposite of what he supposes they would do. The very ammo motive which would make one man do his best would make a good citizen would be accepted by another as a release from all obligations to behave himself. Mr. Bellamy must try his experiment in a world populated by selected human beings, if he would have it succeed.

Beet Sugar.

New York Shipping List.

The development of the beet sugar industry in France has made wonderful strides within the past three years, and according to the latest indications the crop of 1889-90 will result in a yield of not less than 750,000 tons of raw sugar. This is very nearly double the quantity produced in 1887-88, which was about 392,000 tons. There has been a large expansion of the acreage of beets under cultivation, but the increase this season is also due to the exceptional saccharine richness of the beets. This will make France the second largest producer in Europe. The yield of beet sugar in Europe promises this year to exceed the cane product of the world by more than 1,000,000 tons.

The Barrel in Politics.

Philadelphia Telegraph.

So there is to be no more airing of the soiled democratic linen in Ohio. Senator-elect Brice and his late rival, Midhouse Thomas, it is understood, have reconciled their differences with a sort of agreement that Mr. Thomas's ambitious son shall have a congressional district carved out for him by the present democratic legislature. This is the business-like method of the practical politician of the hour, and his editions performances are not confined to one state. The debasing influence of the "barl" in politics is something no thoughtful citizen can think of without growing apprehension for the future of the country.

The Language Fat Spoke.

New York Sun.

Boss Builder (to Patrick, who has just expressed himself emphatically in relation to long hours and short pay)—That's pretty strong talk, Pat. Is it your mother tongue you speak?

Pat—When you wance undherstand it, sorr, it's nivir to comprehind; an' twelve it's me mother tongue or not, sorr, be the same token it's the way me aunt's sister shpoke.

He Merits Pity.

Munsey's Weekly.

"Please, ma'am, can't you let me have a cup of coffee and a few pennies?"

"Go way. We don't want any tramps about here."

"Madam, you wrong me. I'm no tramp. I'm a member of congress who lost his little all when Silcott went away."

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THE TREATY RATIFIED

New Extradition Agreement With England Not Opposed.

HUNDRED MILLIONS OF PENSIONS

The Senate Committee Favorably Reports the Bill for Admission of Idaho.

MORMON TEST OATH IS JUSTIFIABLE

Blair Threatens to Talk Forever—The Oklahoma Bill in the House—Gossip About Persons and Things in the Northwest.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—[OREGONIAN Office, corner Fourteenth street and Pennsylvania avenue.]—The senate to-day ratified the British extradition treaty. The text of the treaty was recently published. Extradition is not to be had for political offenses, nor shall any person surrendered by either party be tried for any other offense than the one for which he is extradited. The treaty does not apply to any crimes committed before its ratification. During discussion of the measure several efforts were made to amend it in important particulars, but they were not successful. The principal points of attack were manslaughter and obtaining funds or money under false pretenses. The amendments that were adopted were said to be of an unimportant character, and it is expected they will be accepted by the British representative without serious objection. The word voluntary was inserted before manslaughter thus limiting the degree of that crime made extraditable. The paragraph relating to the crime of obtaining money or bonds under false pretenses was substantially modified if not stricken out. With these changes the treaty is said to have met the approval of the democratic senators and the vote in its favor is understood to have been practically unanimous.

The senate committee on territories in its report recommending passage of the bill to admit Idaho as a state, after describing the educational advantages, property interests and vast resources of the territory says: On the 1st day of January the territory had sufficient money to pay all its floating indebtedness and leave a balance in the treasury of about $30,000. The present rapid development of the territory warrants the belief that within the first year after admission the population of the state would be at least 150,000.

The report presents a lengthy history of the test oath cases in the supreme court and the effect of the requirement of the oath upon the people of the territory. If any of the citizens of Idaho, the report says, are bigamists or polygamists or are living in violation of the law of the state or the United States, they should be excluded from exercising a control in its organization and conduct. Such persons will be excluded from the privilege of voting, holding office or serving as jurors by the constitution of Idaho unless they are in fact bigamists or polygamists, or advising, counseling, aiding or encouraging such crimes, or unless membership in the Mormon church brings them within the prohibitions of the proposed constitution. This is a question of fact to be determined by the courts, and when it shall appear to the courts that bigamy and polygamy has been ceased and that the Mormon church no longer enjoins, encourages or advises persons to enter into such relations and no longer puts allegiance to the church higher than allegiance to the state, nobody will for such reason be disfranchised or excluded from the right to hold office by the constitution of Idaho. It is the conclusion of the committee that Idaho's right to admission is full and complete.

Ivan Petroff, of Portland, who was recently appointed census supervisor for Alaska, has been spending a few days in the capital gathering up information and receiving instructions about the work he has undertaken. Mr. Petroff is an old friend of Representative Hansbrough, of North Dakota. They had been connected in newspaper work at San Francisco many years ago. Petroff was educated by the Russian government and as is the case with all men who receive the benefits of such an education, he became a scholar of prominence. He went through a military training and was made a Lieutenant in the Russian army. While there he had a quarrel with another officer and was challenged to fight a duel. He refused and for this refusal was exiled to Siberia. He made his escape from that country by the way of Behring Straits and down the coast to Alaska. He afterwards turned up in California and as telegraph editor of the San Francisco *Chronicle* he wrote special dispatches on the Turco-Russian war, from the outpost of the Russian armies. Since his residence in America he has been engaged in literary work, principally historical, and has contributed to the history written by Bancroft. He has also written a history of Alaska, and is no doubt as well informed upon that country as any living man. He will be an efficient supervisor.

Every man from Oregon or Washington that comes East devotes more or less time to telling interested auditors about the glories of the Pacific coast and especially that particular country which he hails from. The narrow prejudice of the East cannot grasp the idea of a great Western empire beyond the Rocky mountains, and when a man from the Pacific slope tells half the wonders of his Western home they generally surmise that he is lying. One of the best talkers here is Colonel J. B. Montgomery who represented Oregon in the shipping league. Speaking for his own city he said: "Portland has progressed more in the past year than during any like period in its history. Two thousand new houses have been built and 1000 more could have been rented were they obtainable. I expect the next census to show from 60,000 to 70,000 population."

At the meeting of the senate finance committee to-day, the various silver and currency bills that have been referred to it were under consideration. The discussion covered the whole range of the situation, but the silver question was the principal topic. All the republican members of the committee were present and Harris and Vance of the minority. The discussion is said to have demonstrated that there was little, if any, variance of views upon the manner in which the silver question should be treated. There was a practical agreement that a bill should be passed authorizing the secretary of the treasury to increase the purchase of silver, store it as bullion and issue certificates upon it. It is expected a detailed bill covering these propositions will be drafted at the next meeting of the committee.

Colonel Sanders and Martin Maginnis, of Montana, are daily at the capitol, and in a quiet way working up the case they have before the committee. Colonel Sanders is of the opinion that the flight of the democratic state senators from Montana was upon the advice of the democratic leaders here, as they did not want to show a valid legislature doing business, which would have been the case had they remained in that legislature, to one which elected the republican claimants. The colonel also says that the attempt to get Marcus Daly to come to a hand is passed, and the senate bill recalled from the house. After a brief executive session the doors were reopened and the senate adjourned.

Nominations: Alonzo Cleary register of the land office at La Grande, Or.

BRITISH EXTRADITION TREATY RATIFIED.

In executive session the senate ratified the British extradition treaty with a few unimportant amendments.

IN THE HOUSE.

Slight Scuffle Over the Rules—Debate on the Oklahoma Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—In the house, Morrow of California, from the appropriations committee, reported the pension appropriation bill; referred to committee of the whole.

The speaker laid before the house a message from the president transmitting without comment a communication from the interior department proposing an amendment to the act providing for the allotment of lands in severalty to Indians.

The senate bill providing for the appointment of an assistant secretary of war was laid before the house. It is substantially the same as the house bill, already favorably reported from the military committee. The speaker held that it was, under the rules, entitled to immediate consideration, so the house went into a committee of the whole thereon. The discussion was continued until half past 1, when the committee rose with out action, and the house resumed consideration of the bill to provide a temporary government for Oklahoma. The general debate was limited to three and one-half hours, despite the appeal of Barnes and others for five hours time, and in relation for the enforced limitation they called for the reading of the original senate bill and the house substitute, making together 50 printed pages. One hour and twenty minutes was consumed in the reading, and it was after 3 o'clock before Struble of Iowa took the floor in support of the bill. He criticised the [illegible] and defended the [illegible] and compared the [illegible] with the [illegible] and analyze samples of food and drugs sold in any state other than where manufactured. All manufacturers of goods intended for shipment from one state to another shall make application for a license to the secretary of agriculture, certifying that the articles are not deleterious. The bill strikes out the second, third and fourth sections of the original bill, relative to the slaughter of animals, and with the exceptions noted, is the same as the old bill. It was recommitted to the committee on agriculture.

Last summer Representative Carter and other Western men representing the lead-producing interests made long arguments before Secretary Windom asking modification of the order of the department allowing lead and silver ores mixed to be admitted free of duty. The secretary refused to modify the order. The lead men have been working with the ways and means committee, and it is said the committee will report in the tariff bill a duty of 1½ cents per pound, in no matter what form it may be brought into this country.

Between the continued speech of Blair, of New Hampshire, and the great amount of time spent in executive session, there is not much business done in the senate at this time. Senator Dolph has had a number of measures he desires to call up, but is fought off by the executive sessions and the Blair speech. The latter has been talking six days now and may not finish for some time yet. Senator Mitchell has been devoting his time to the report on The Dalles boat railway report, which he hopes to bring into the senate in a few days.

Colonel James K. Kelly, formerly United States senator from Oregon, with his family, resides in Washington now, although the ex-senator spends his summers in Oregon, his family prefer to remain here and live in a fine residence on N street.

Mr. Kelly is a speculator in Oregon real estate, and he boasts of a transaction where he purchased one piece of ground for $1000 and afterward sold it for $100,000. He has become quite rich since retiring from public life, and in Washington he lives easily and comfortably.

The pension appropriation bill for the next fiscal year reported to the house to-day by Morrow, from committee on appropriations carried $84,427,461, being $9,791 less than the estimates, and $16,668,761 more than the bill for the current fiscal year, though there is an estimated deficiency of $16,658,831 in the pension expenditures for this year, so that the bill is $4,930,070 less than the expenditures will be this year.

Senator Mitchell is making an effort to have the Bishop Scott academy at Portland, Or., reorganized by the government as a military school, to have issued to the academy ordnance and ordnance stores, and a retired army officer as professor of military service and tactics. Professor J. W. Hill has addressed formal requests for this purpose and has recommended Captain J. A. Sladen for the professorship.

The delegation of Idaho hustlers in Washington are particularly happy to-night because Senator Platt has reported favorably the bill admitting that territory upon the constitution framed last summer and adopted last fall. The delay in reporting the bill was occasioned by the decision of the supreme court. A new report was made taking strong ground on the matter of plural marriages.

Senator Ingalls, by request, to-day introduced a bill to amend the inter-state commerce law by providing that any person shipping or smuggling intoxicating liquors into a state or territory that forbids the sale of it shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor; and any railroad company that transports the same shall be fined $100 for each offense.

Washington will be surely given two additional land districts at the present session of congress. The senate has passed the bill and Representative Wilson has assurance from the public land committee that his bill will be reported favorably.

Henry J. Franz, the victim of the Aberdeen outrage, has been recommended by Superintendent Porter for appointment as a special agent of the eleventh census to collect statistics relative to recorded indebtedness.

Senator Allen to-day introduced five petitions signed by several hundred citizens of Washington, asking for the enactment of a Sunday rest law. They went to the committee on education and labor.

The supervising architect of the treasury department sent for Representative Wilson to-day to consult him about the bills for public buildings in Washington.

WANAMAKER'S POSTAL TELEGRAPH.

He Explains His Idea—A Telegraph Manager's Objection.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The house committee on postoffices and post roads to-day continued consideration of the postal telegraph. Postmaster-General Wanamaker and A. Chandler, president of the Postal Telegraph Company were present, and gave their ideas on the subject. Wanamaker thought it should be under the control of the civil service commission and that the wires should not be used politically.

In response to questions Wanamaker said the difficulty of getting a contract flexible in its character so that the government might take advantage of new inventions occurring during the ten years of the contract was not as troublesome as it might seem. His whole aim in using employes now engaged was to obviate the objections which have been raised that the postal telegraph would take a great deal of money from the treasury and would ring in a neat army of employes.

Chandler, the next witness, said his company could not do the work proposed at the maximum rates provided in the bill without a loss. No other company could do it without a loss. "We do not want," said Chandler, "to see a government telegraph established, or the beginning of a government telegraph that will destroy $6,000,000 which we have invested in property. We do not think the government has a right to do that, and if it has that right we think it would be unjust and very unreasonable to exercise it.

A bill was introduced in the house to-day by Wade, of Missouri, to establish a government postal telegraph. It appropriates $8,000,000.

IN THE SENATE.

Idaho Bill Reported Favorably—British Extradition Treaty Passed.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—In the senate the bill to admit Idaho was reported back and placed on the calendar; also the bill appropriating $5,200,000 for the construction of a deep water harbor at Galveston, Tex., not more than $1,000,000 to be expended each year. The senate went into executive session, and when the doors were reopened at 2:30, the educational bill came up as unfinished business and Blair proceeded with his address.

After speaking for over two hours he yielded the floor to Hale, from the conference committee on the bill to require superintendents of the census to ascertain the number of people who own their farms and homes and the amounts of mortgage indebtedness thereon. He made a report recommending that the house amendment be agreed to. Platt inquired whether the bill made all farmers and others who should be called upon to answer questions as to their debts subject to fine or imprisonment if they refused to answer, and he answered that all census questions were placed in the same category, but the penalty did not include imprisonment. It only extended to a fine of $100. The conference committee did not think it wise to make discrimination between different classes of questions. The conference report was agreed to.

The house bill for the relief of Sioux Indians at Devils Lake agency, N. D., exactly similar to the senate bill passed a few days ago, was passed, and the senate bill recalled from the house. After a brief executive session the doors were reopened and the senate adjourned.

The late floods and storms on the Pacific coast have disarranged the mail service in both Washington and Oregon. The senators and representatives of these states have received telegraphic complaints about them, and have been to the department to secure relief. Upon the representations made by Wilson and Hermann the authorities have telegraphed orders to postmasters to arrange as best they can the mail service and to take immediate steps to supply offices cut off from mail services. Southwest Oregon has been suffering for several weeks, but a new route for supply was suggested by Mr. Hermann and adopted by the department.

The committee on claims of the house to-day reported back with favorable recommendation, the following bills of Representative Hermann: One for Newton McEoy, of East Portland, Or., for $6.0, for legal services rendered the government in land contests before the Oregon City land office, and for Col. Wm. J. Martin, of Douglas county, Or., of $8000, for beef cattle sold the government before the war. The bill submits the facts to the court of claims.

The senate committee on agriculture to-day reported a substitute for the bill introduced by Faulkner for the establishment of a pure food division in the department of agriculture, to provide for the inspection of live stock, etc., and prohibit introduction of adulterated or misbranded food or drugs, etc. The bill as amended provides that the secretary of agriculture shall organize a food division and appoint a chief at a salary of $3000 a year, who shall procure

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WASHINGTON'S NEWS BUREAU.

The Duty on Rice Wanted.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—... Secretary ... Schenck ... classification ... duty ... rice mats, ... ing waste ... a genuine ... what is known ... lining, now ... and Germany; ... ry condition, ... and ... ing duty. ... ... waste ... no Yarn is not ... ck. Customs ... seal-skin ... of high ... ed state, ... ool of its ... cause it ... ... of small ... higher grades, ... it shall ... unmitigated, be classed as waste.

The Geological Survey.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—[Special ... Secretary Noble has received ... of the geological survey. ... stormy weather along ... that section of ... abandoned and the ... tracts of land in ... taking in the ... ing in the Grand ... The reports of ... and Idaho will soon be forwarded.

Valentine Scrip Worthless.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Commissioner ... the general land office, has rendered a ... in which he holds that Valentine scrip ... locatable upon any of the lands of the ... reservation recently opened to settlement.

Silcott's Mistress Grew Homesick.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Lottie Talcott, ... and left here with defaulter Silcott ... turned to the city.

THE CENTRAL PACIFIC DEAL.

Refusal to Mortgage the Southern Pacific to the Government.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—[Special ... The report of the senate committee on railroads has, as would be natural, ... interest and comment here. The ... basis of agreement can be reached ... Pacific easier than with the Central. ... moreover, the latter corporation ... involved in the settlement, there would ... general interest, but when it comes to ... the entire Southern Pacific system ... in adjustment of its indebtedness ... present at every point where the Southern ... Company has even branch lines of ... tions with other roads. The Central Pacific, ... known, is under lease to the Southern Pacific ... seems to be understood here that the ... pany will not accept the terms ... senate committee, which ... ninety-five years' time at 2 per cent, ... ment making that as security for ... debt a mortgage be given on the ... belonging to the owners of the Southern ... special remission of interest and ... made for the first ten years. ...

The *Examiner* claims from interviews ... with Stanford, Huntington and Crocker ... East, and also from interviews with ... has found there is strong distrust of ... between the three partners on this ... representatives of the Huntington ... tral. Stanford and Huntington are ... ally opposed to each other. Stanford is ... to arrange some basis of settlement ... enable him to resign from the management ... company. He has pride in having ... tral Pacific, and wants it to ... name as long as it lasts. He has a ... the debt to the government can be ... our crippling the company or ... the state of California and ... He has no sentimental ... fact mean, and does not see any ... paying out more than he is ... to have the honor of keeping the Central ... railroad in the hands of its builders. ... sation is for the government to accept ... of payment the 50 cents on the bonds ... to pay the mortgage, accept 5 per cent ... ing fund, and thereby save the Central ... per cent. in interest and relieve the ... its debt entirely. He knows the Central ... worth about $40,000,000 less than ... not consent to jeopardize any other ... security for the Central Pacific debt. ... things he has said openly. He says ... financial status of the road as follows: ... fy the company will owe the government ... 000,000, and first mortgage bonds ... 000,000. The government must pay ... 000,000 before it can take the road. ... and as the road is not worth more than ... it would lose $60,000,000 by the operation. ... confident, therefore, that the other creditors ... of the situation, and that confidence ... creased by the assertion that they have ... interest by the snow blockade.

On the subject of giving the Southern ... any part of it as additional security ... orable. His branch roads are already ... to the bondholders, and no change can be ... other than a second mortgage that would ... pair their security. The Southern Pacific ... aged well up to its value, and the ... ns no idea of selling any more ... as securities for railroad debts. His ... tion is that the government can, by ... name to bonds, so reduce the interest ... debt that the saving on the first mortgage ... alone will settle the whole business.

C. F. Crocker, as active representative ... Crocker Estate Company, which includes ... property of the late Charles Crocker, ... holding ground. He would like to see the ... Pacific freed from its encumbrances on the ... same terms as Senator Stanford, but the ... Crocker estate is a large holder of Southern ... and other railroad bonds his estate could ... not permit him to do anything that would ... those securities. He is anxious to see the ... Pacific pay off its debt on the best possible ... for all parties, but he is not in a position ... dress the security of the government. His ... partners are now in New York, and their ... ition no doubt largely concerns that ... question.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.] ... reference to Central Pacific matters here ... gress, C. P. Huntington said: "... adjustment proposed is not equitable ... is made it hard for poor people ... the Central to pay this debt, ... will fail. The road has a hard ... position, to make any money."

Sidney Dillon said: "... the proposed new ... work a hardship on the Pacific roads. ... of interest too high, and not enough ... given to pay the debt.

PLEASANTRIES OF PASAGAS.

Johnny Peck—Pa, what is meant by the ... passion?" Mr. N. Peck—Ahem! ... son, she knows all about it.—Time.

An Austin young man tried to ... against her will, and she scratched his ... with her diamond ring—a fifth ... as it were.—*Texas Siftings.*

A young woman began a song. The ... Leaves Are Falling." She picked ... screeched, and stopped. "Start her ... an auctioneer.—*Bricklin-American.*

"The tricky man is almost always ... found out," said Smithers to Bitters. ... fact, especially if you are calling ... that he owes you.—*Washington ...*

Missed a good chance.—Miss ... pa up boy)—That was an awful ... young man. Why didn't you get ... didn't know anybody was looking.—*Life.*

Charles—I adore you, Edith, but ... poor. However, I have a wealthy ... whom I have expected ... married? Charles—No, darling, ... produce me to him, there's a dear.—*Life.*

"Mickey, yez young villain," said ... peevishly dame to her son, who was ... woful countenance with a Mosquito ... worrid are yez doin' there?" "Nothin' ... Cinoma Oi am," was the reply.—*Judge.*

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UPROAR IN OLYMPIA.

Members of the House Yell for Twenty Minutes.

QUEER PARLIAMENTARY RULINGS

Louisiana Falling Off—Shaw Begins to Think the Newspapers are Right—A Territorial Bill Tampered With Seventeen Years Ago.

OLYMPIA, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram.]—Everything seemed to go wrong in the house to-day. There seemed to be neither head nor tail to anything. The Steptoe deadlock yesterday had left a clear. The Steptoe deadlock yesterday had left a ... on all propositions, and more confusion than has ... since the session began. ... Speaker Feighan was out of sorts, too, and used ... his gavel frequently and vigorously. A scene of ... the wildest confusion marked the close of the ... morning session. Plummer was in the chair, ... and, as unqualified motion to adjourn having ... been carried at noon, he held that according to ... Cushing the house stood adjourned until the next ... legislative day, and named 10 A. M. to-morrow as ... hour for reconvening.

A full minute had elapsed between the time ... Plummer declared the house adjourned and ... Kinnear called the chair, when Geoghegan appealed. Half ... of the members had left the hall and were in the ... of the lobby, while Speaker Feighan, without a shadow ... authority, rushed to the chair and calling the ... house to order again, entertained Geoghegan's ... appeal.

The scene which followed was well in keeping ... with the recent upheaval in the national house. For ... twenty minutes a pandemonium prevailed. Mc... Henry, Plummer, Kuhn and others maintained ... that the appeal was out of order. At one time ... Rivers of Spokane, Judson of Pierce, and others ... were yelling at the top of their voices.

Plummer's decision was then overruled, whereupon Speaker Plummer asserted that the house had been ... by Chairman Cushing to him; that he made his decision without knowing that Speaker Feighan had previously ruled that an adjournment after the morning session was with a view of meeting at 7 P. M., and that he would never again accept a call to the chair. Finally Judson, of Pierce, made a motion to take a recess until 2 P. M., which provoked another row. One side claimed that the house had already adjourned, and the other side held the contrary. The speaker instead of putting the 1:30 motion, and Judson would call this 2 P. M. motion put. Finally, more out of sheer desperation than anything else, the speaker put the 1:30 motion, amid appeals, points of order and great confusion. The motion prevailed and the house adjourned, leaving Brown standing and appealing at the top of his voice from the decision.

It is claimed that if Plummer's decision had been sustained the session would have adjourned sine die.

When the house met in the afternoon Nims moved that the journal show only that the house ... adjourned until 1:30 P. M. Brown of Spokane objected to falsifying the records. Kuhn objected also. He wanted a full account of the proceedings to be contained in the proceedings, to show how foolish the whole thing had been. Orr roll call the house, by a vote of ayes 24, nays 29, refused to suspend the journal.

The house has become very sick of Speaker Feighan's ruling that it requires a two-thirds vote to discuss ... further proceedings under a call of the house. This morning Grant gave notice that to-morrow he would move an amendment to the rules, providing that a call of the house may be dispensed with by a majority vote at any time after a roll has been called. Evans wanted the rules resubmitted to the committee on rules for revision, and gave notice that he would make a motion to that effect to-morrow.

The house to-day passed Senator Fairweather's bill to bond the state for $300,000 to fund the territorial indebtedness assumed by the state. The bonds are to bear 5 per cent. interest. The bill was amended so that redemption of the bonds shall begin within five years, and all the bonds ... to be redeemed within fifteen years. The state auditor is authorized to levy a tax of one-tenth of a mill annually for five years to establish an interest fund, and to levy annually, after 1895, a special tax of one-fifth of a mill to establish a redemption fund. Senator Fairweather is satisfied ... his house amendments, and is confident that the senate will concur.

In the house this morning Tucker offered a resolution providing that after to-day no leave of absence be granted to any member, except for sickness of some equally good cause, stated 15 writing and voted upon by the house, and that the sergeant-at-arms instruct members absent on ... to appear without leave to report at once for duty. This resolution was prompted by the ... attendance in the house the last few days. ... morning there were twenty-four absentees, ... so that there was only a bare quorum present at roll call. Kuhn opposed the resolution, but it was adopted.

When Herren's bill to amend the notary public law recently, passed was pending in the house ... morning, Shaw said: "I would like to know ... many more such bills we are to have. If ... are to be any more I shall begin to believe ... reflections of the newspapers that this is a ... legislature." [Laughter.]

The house had a wrangle this afternoon over ... motion to set Friday for consideration ... of the land bills. Kuhn wanted the joint committee bill recommitted for amendment. The ... refused to recommit the bill, and set ... for its consideration.

A large meeting of the G. A. R. was held to-night. Resolutions were passed that all members of the legislature present use all their influence to insure the passage of a bill for establishing a soldiers' home.

Pierce county cannot have two additional superior judges, the house having refused to concur in the senate amendment to this effect. A committee of conference was ordered, which to-day recommended that the house recede from its action. After a hot debate the house refused to adopt the report, by a vote of ayes 28, noes 29. A committee of free conference was asked for.

William Lair Hill is code commissioner. Gov. Perry to-day approved the code bill. He also signed Painter's bills appropriating $25,000 to establish a jute factory in Walla Walla penitentiary and $17,252 for maintenance of the institution. Governor Perry will probably have Dr. Power's medical bill to-morrow. The house enrolling clerk expects to have it ready then.

The senate judiciary committee held a meeting this evening and considered at length various measures appertaining to incorporation of towns. The committee continued before adjourning that Way's bill, which will be considered to-morrow, will have to be indefinitely postponed. It was the consensus of opinion, however, that a bill must be passed classifying towns and cities, as in California. This is understood to be Governor Perry's views.

The senate to-day passed the select committee's bill authorizing cities to enlarge. The only city to which the bill provides now is Spokane Falls. The bill provides that a majority of the legal voters living in territory contiguous to the city may petition for annexation.

After seventeen years it was discovered to-day that the act passed by the legislature in 1873, conferring the title of the Seattle & Walla Walla Railroad & Transportation Company to tide lands in Elliott bay south of King street, in Seattle, was transferred with it. The bill was reported favorably by the house judiciary committee on October 28, with the following preamble: "Whereas, it is intended to be made shall be of no validity until said Seattle & Walla Walla Railroad & Transportation Company shall have completed a railroad connecting the city of Seattle, in King county, with the city of Walla Walla, in Walla Walla county, Washington territory, by way of Snoqualmie Pass." The proviso was made part of the bill which was passed. Examination at the office to-day showed that the last six letters of the word "completed" had been stricken out and the letters "menced" substituted, which changed the whole tenor of the bill. The erasure was plainly discernible. It was found also that the original and engrossed copies of the bill had been ... The alteration was made after the bill had been signed by Gen Perry, who was the governor of the territory at that time. About a million dollars worth of property is involved, and two bills, one granting the grant and another disclaiming any intention on the part of the state to give the railroad company title to the lands, are pending.

The house committee on defective youth agreed this evening to report to the house to-morrow the $2,000 appropriation asked for by the Vancouver institution.

The railroad sub-committee of the house, at their meeting held this evening, concluded perfecting a bill which they will report to the full committee to-morrow night.

The house committee on agriculture held a meeting this evening and decided to report favorably in favor of the Wright bill irrigation system.

Senate Proceedings.

The committee on commerce recommended defeative postponement of Allen's bill requiring owners of docks to display lights.

Hyde and Clough were appointed additional members of the committee on agriculture. Benson Allen, Austin and Farris were appointed the conference committee in behalf of the senate to consider the judgeship bill.

The emergency clause to Sharp's irrigating bill, which passed yesterday, was taken from the table and passed.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

By Nash—Providing for the extension of the time of payment of the taxes of 1889, before passing the bill was amended by Snow, changing the time of sheriffs collecting delinquent taxes from March 1, to April 1.

By Hyde—Extending the corporate limits of cities and towns; passed.

By the committee on privileges and elections—On ballot and elections; passed.

NEW BILLS.

By Wooding—Providing for bridging navigable streams in cities and towns.

By the same—Providing for bridging navigable streams.

House Proceedings.

When the house met the chair appointed Grant, Grubb, Nims and Judson, of Pierce, as a conference committee on the house amendments to Kinnear's bill prescribing the duties of the governor.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

By Herren—Providing for recovery of real estate by action in superior courts; passed.

By Herren—Validating deeds that have no subscribing witnesses; passed.

By Herren—Relating to recovery of damages; indefinitely postponed.

By Herren—Amending the notaries public act; lost.

By Herren—To pay attorneys a reasonable fee for defending pauper criminals; lost.

By Painter—Appropriating $300 to pay Rev. H. W. Egan, chaplain of Walla Walla penitentiary; passed.

TO INFLUENCE LEGISLATION.

Letter to Representatives of Washington Urging Columbia River Appropriations.

VANCOUVER, Feb. 18.—[Special Correspondence.] The following letter was to-day addressed to each of the representatives in congress, of the state of Washington by Mr. P. C. Kauffman, president of the Vancouver board of trade:

VANCOUVER, Wash., Feb. 18, 1890.

To the Honorable, etc., Washington, D. C., *Dear Sir:*—At a meeting of the board of trade of this city, held February 11th, a resolution was unanimously adopted requesting the president to address a letter to the representatives of the state of Washington in congress "setting forth the needs of this city in regard to removing obstructions to navigation in the Columbia river, above the mouth of the Willamette river, and to urge them to exert their utmost energy in securing the appropriation of a sum sufficient for that important object." In accordance with that resolution we would call your attention to the following facts:

The city of Vancouver is situated on the north bank of the Columbia river, about five miles north of Portland, Or. It contains a population of about 6500 people, with schools, churches, street railways, electric lights, large milling and manufacturing establishments, docks and wharves. To the east and immediately adjoining the city is the extensive military post of Vancouver barracks, the headquarters of the department of the Columbia, United States army, the importance of which is well known to you.

Vancouver is the most important city in the state of Washington on the Columbia river, being situated at the farthest point up the river to which sea-going craft can ascend, and is the natural point for the transshipment of inland freights to and toward vessels, and vice versa. Clarke county, of which Vancouver is the county seat and principal city, contains an area of about 700 square miles and its varied natural resources is not surpassed, if indeed equaled, by any other county in the state. Its boundless forests of cedar, pine, oak and ash are beginning to yield to the woodman's ax and almost 500,000 feet of manufactured lumber is now being turned out daily, while in the foot hills of the Cascade mountains, in the northeastern section of the county, lie inexhaustible bodies of coal, iron and other minerals that need but facilities for transportation to call forth their immediate development. Almost every acre in Clarke county, except that in the foot hills, is fitted for some branch of agricultural pursuits, and hundreds of farms are already cleared out of the virgin forest, while the industry of fruit growing, especially the culture of the prune, is assuming great importance.

In order to develop this fertile region it is absolutely essential that transportation facilities be ample, and communication with the outside world uninterrupted. The only way of travel and commercial intercourse at present is by means of ferries and steamboats, and when these methods of communication are shut off, trade and business come to a standstill, which frequently happens, as follows: A short distance below this city there is a sand bar in the Columbia river, that interferes very materially with steamboat navigation, and at low water is a formidable obstacle to even light draught vessels. In addition, owing to this bar, in the winter months, the river which would otherwise seldom freeze over at this point, becomes completely blocked up and closed, and as was the case during the past month, January, 1890, the whole of the ordinary great concourse and travel is entirely suspended, inconveniencing and damaging the people of the states of Washington and Oregon to the extent of many thousands of dollars.

We desire further to call your attention to the fact that congress has never appropriated a dollar to the improvement of this portion of the Columbia; that, in fact, this part of the Columbia river, from the mouth of the Willamette to the Cascades, seems to be utterly ignored in governmental surveys and appropriations.

We therefore trust you will give the memorial of the legislature of our state, asking for an appropriation of $9000 for the removal of the sandbar below this city, your earnest and hearty support, especially when the insignificance of the amount asked is considered, in comparison with the large sums regnested to improve a number of small creeks that empty into Puget sound.

The people residing in the counties that border on the Columbia expect our representatives to represent them, as well as Puget sound and Eastern Washington, and will, by reason of the many interests they have in common, take immediate action to see that their just claims are regarded.

Very respectfully, P. C. KAUFFMAN,
President Vancouver Board of Trade.

MISTAKE OF THE NEW STATES.

Their Constitutions Not a Remedy of Evils, but Mere Legislative Codes.

Professor Thorpe in February Century.

The laborious and honest efforts of delegates in convention to frame the fundamental law for a new state are not to be lightly passed as a trifling incident in perennial politics. These constitutions are peculiarly in evidence in the case of the American people versus themselves. Unconsciously have these two new states solemnly entered upon that wearisome and disappointing course which has been already run with error and regret by many of the elder states. The Northwestern states cannot avoid the evils of civil life by incorporating in their fundamental law the elaborate and repeated proofs of the distrust of the people towards those who shall be elected to conduct the state government. It is plain that these conventions lost the opportunity to remedy the acknowledged evils complained of by the people of some of the older states by making a simple organic law and putting power and responsibility in the hands of those to whom the control of civil affairs is to come. A constitution cannot make a state. Each election makes or unmakes the American commonwealth. One of our recent English critics has wisely written: "To the people we come sooner or later. It is upon this wisdom and self-restraint that the stability of the most cunningly devised scheme of government will in the last resort depend."

A cursory reading of the constitutions for the northwestern states might suggest to some the vision of an ideal system of state government duly anticipating and providing against those evils which long experience in the eastern states has repeatedly chronicled with shame in volumes of statutes and session laws; but upon a more mature reflection on these instruments, and an examination of the times in which we live, we are compelled to confess that the conventions in Washington and Montana framed a legislative code rather than a body of fundamental laws for the new states.

THE NEW MINISTER TO RUSSIA.

A Brief Biographical Sketch of Charles Emery Smith.

Washington Special.

Charles Emery Smith, who has been confirmed by the senate minister to Russia, the post to which Murat Halstead was appointed, but not confirmed, was born in Mansfield, Conn., February 15, 1842. Seven years later he removed with his parents to Albany, N. Y., Here he was educated in the public schools, and at the Albany academy, graduating from the latter in 1858. During the next six months, before entering college, when he was only 16 years of age, he wrote leading articles for the Albany *Evening Transcript*. In 1861 Mr. Smith was graduated from the Shenectady university. He was appointed to the staff of General Rathbone, and for two years was engaged in the work of recruiting and organizing volunteers for the war. This post he exchanged for one in the faculty of his old school, the Albany academy, but in 1869 he finally left the scholastic for the journalistic world, becoming editor of the Albany *Express*. In 1874 he was president of the State Press Association, and delivered the annual address at its meeting. For six successive years he served as delegate to the republican state convention. In 1879 he was selected as temporary and permanent president, and was chairman of the committee on resolutions in each of the other years, excepting 1877, when Roscoe Conzling held that post and Mr. Smith was the secretary. He was also delegate to the national republican convention at Cincinnati in 1876, and, as New York member of the committee on resolutions, a large portion of the platform was drafted by his pen.

In March of the year 1879 Mr. Smith removed to Philadelphia and took charge of the *Press*, with which he has since been connected. There is no doubt that the present nomination will be duly confirmed.

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PORTLAND, OR., Feb. 18, 1890.

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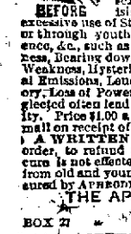

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REASON 2: Ease of approach from the ocean. A sailing vessel can run direct from the ocean to the anchorage in Port Townsend Bay, with a westerly wind, or beat up to her anchorage with an easterly wind, the Straits of Fuca being over 12 miles wide, while above Port Townsend to any of the cities the navigation is more intricate, requiring the constant use of tugs. Steamers can run the distance from the ocean to Port Townsend during the densest fogs by aid of their compass alone, there being no hidden danger to apprehend.

REASON 3: It is the port of entry of Puget Sound, and its geographical position is such that it will afford greater facilities to commerce over a greater extent of country than any one position on Puget Sound.

REASON 4: It is at the entrance to Admiralty Inlet and within the lines of the proposed military works for the defense of Puget Sound, and is where the naval squadron will have a rendezvous, and where the government will build a dry dock for repairs, and a naval station for supplies for our naval vessels and the merchant marine.

REASON 5: It will become the great wheat shipping point on the Pacific Coast. It has been ascertained that from the junction of the Snake and Columbia rivers to Port Townsend there is a fall of about 400 feet, and that it is practically very nearly a level grade and that one engine can haul 25 loaded cars to Port Townsend, while it takes two decapod engines to haul 14 loaded cars through the tunnel to Tacoma. The peninsula which lies between Port Townsend and Port Discovery harbors, presents on both these harbors a greater extent of water front than any other position on Puget Sound, both of which can be utilized by one line of railroad, thus offering greater facilities for handling vast quantities of wheat than can be found elsewhere in the whole country.

REASON 6: It will be the headquarters and great point of transit of all the whaling fleet, which can here ship all their oil and bone to Eastern markets and save 700 miles of ocean travel, which they now have to take to transport these products to San Francisco.

REASON 7: It will be the headquarters of the fishing business. The Union Pacific Railroad Co. stated to the senate committee on relations with Canada who were here in 1889, that they intend putting in refrigerator cars to take fresh fish through on the long haul at greatly reduced rates, and will here ship all the salmon pack, as well as other fish products destined for the interior and Eastern markets.

REASON 8: It is the point of departure for all passengers and freight to British Columbia and Alaska, and its unrivaled scenery makes it the admiration of all tourists who have ever visited Puget Sound.

REASON 9: It is the location of the smelting works of Irondale, on Port Townsend Bay, where the best charcoal iron known in the world is produced. A plant will be put up at these works by the company to manufacture steel plates for boilers and for building vessels, steel rails and all iron material required for railroad construction and every kind of iron for blacksmith use.

REASON 10: Port Townsend, by its geographical position, is intimately and directly connected with Portland, being due north, as can be seen on any map. The Willamette meridian, which commences in Portland as its initial point, terminates in Port Townsend bay, between Point Hudson and Marrowstone Point. The Port Townsend Southern railroad will soon connect the two cities, and Port Townsend will become in fact one of Portland's most important shipping points.

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Sandy Olds's third trial is over. It has agitated the community for many days and has proved to be the most memorable trial in the history of Multnomah county, if not the whole state. The length of time—two days—occupied in securing a jury, the exacting and protracted day and night sessions, and the unprecedented long addresses of the counsel, occupying as they did, ten hours, all conspired to render the case one of exceeding wear upon Judge Stearns and all connected with the case. There can be no question that heaven and earth will be moved to secure for Olds another trial. The decision of the supreme court, reversing the ruling of Judge Stearns in denying a new trial, gives ample grounds for the hopes that are entertained by the prisoner's friends for a fourth trial. Another exception will be taken from the ruling of Judge Stearns in the examination of jurors. The defense alleges that questions were asked and answered, allowing the juror to be his own judge of his qualifications.

Hon. Rufus Mallory, in the closing speech for the defense, is considered on all hands to have made the effort of his life, if not in fact the finest plea for a criminal ever made before an Oregon court. Mr. McGinn, in his closing argument for the state, delivered a masterpiece of forensic presentation. His work upon the trial has been exhaustive, painstaking and in every way creditable to him as a lawyer, or as a man. The length of the lawyers' addresses caused Judge Stearns to express a regret that he had not limited the speakers to the statutory requirements of two hours each.

THE PROCEEDINGS.

District Attorney McGinn began the prosecution's closing address shortly after the convening of court yesterday morning, and did not finish until 12:30. Judge Stearns immediately began his charge to the jury. This was the same as in both of the other two trials. At 1:05 the jury retired. After taking three or four ballots, which occupied the time until half-past two, they were taken out to dinner by Sheriff Kelly and Deputy Sheriff Marquam. On the first ballot there were only four for first degree. After dinner the balloting again began, and it was not until thirty or forty ballots had been taken that an agreement was reached. One man from Albina stood out sturdily for acquittal on the ground of self-defense. He was apparently convinced of the truth of Olds' declaration that Weber had drawn, or had started to draw, his revolver against him before he shot. The majority of the jurors, however, were convinced that this was a clever after thought of the defendant's, having no foundation in fact, and his resistance of the Albina man proved merely a means of consolidating the others who were bent upon conviction. These plainly told him that they would never agree on any such verdict, and that it or were ready to stay there until the bottom fell out or pit congealed before they would say "not guilty." There were no professional jurymen in the body, and they were prepared to hang for a day or two for a disagreement. They thought it was expected of them to bring in a verdict, and a vote or two proposed to bring in. So the recalcitrant members were gradually brought into line.

At 8:40 Foreman George W. Heath rapped upon the door. The courtroom was almost deserted. Judge Stearns sat in his private room, talking over the case with District Attorney McGinn. "The knock isn't loud enough for an agreement," said the latter. He opened the door, and then said, "No." A second rap brought him again to the door. "Yes, they have agreed." The defendant's attorneys were all over telephoned for, and Hon. Rufus Mallory and Judge Bellinger soon put in an appearance. Sheriff Kelly brought Sandy up from the jail below; the jury was called out. They took their seats. It was now two minutes to six. The daylight was fading, and only three or four stray spectators occupied the room which had been densely crowded with humanity during the four days of the trial. Sandy sat between his lawyers, self-possessed enough, but keenly alive to the moment of the hour. "Have you agreed upon a verdict?" asked Judge Stearns. Several of the jury answered, "We have." Foreman Heath passed the written verdict to Deputy Sheriff Marquam, he in his turn to the judge, he after looking at it a moment, handed it to Clerk of Court Duff who, after Sandy had risen in his seat in obedience to an order from the judge, read in a clear voice: "We the jury in the case of the state of Oregon vs. Charles Olds, do find that the defendant, Charles Olds, is guilty of murder in the first degree." Judge Bellinger asked that the jury be polled. Their names were again called, and of each one Judge Stearns asked: "Is that thayour verdict?" Each one raised his hand and answered affirmatively. So the jury was discharged.

The usual time will be granted for the attorneys for the defense to move for a new trial. Upon this motion, should Judge Stearns decide adversely to the prisoner, an appeal will be taken to the supreme court.

Sandy is reported to have said Monday night, "Well, if they vote to hang me this time, I have no kick coming. I have had a fair show."

The defense of Olds this last trial was all that can be expected for him. The damaging evidence which was brought before the coroner's jury purgnos him reisentlessly. This jury was taken from honest laboring men, and was uniformly considered to be as good a jury as could be fairly obtained for him in the county. The verdict is thus satisfactory to that popular feeling demanding his conviction, and, it is difficult to see how any different result can be expected from any subsequent hearing of his cause before a Multnomah county jury.

A REMARKABLE HORSE.

Story of an Exploit of a Fast Animal on the Street Yesterday Afternoon.

A little before noon yesterday a reporter, while out on South Third street, saw a horse belonging to Frank C. Barnes running away, up the street, with a boy on his back. The horse had no bridle on, and the latter gave the boy no control of the animal. The horse was running, for all that was out, and making excellent time, and finally threw the boy high in the air and passed on. So did the reporter, and an hour or two later he was on North Third street near A, when along came the same horse with the same bridle, but a boy about two sizes larger on his back, but having no control of the animal.

They passed down the street like a flash, the horse appearing as if he was just getting warmed up to his work. He turned the corner of B toward First, and came down kerslam on his side in the sand, and the boy oh? where was he? A crowd rushed to the spot expecting to find him flattened out as thin as paper, but he was on his feet and with a vicious jerk on the bridle yanked the mad-stand horse to his feet and led him off as x aconcernedly as possible.

Just what the meaning of this affair is is not known yet. Whether Mr. Barnes has a pair of Ameteur Gilpins in his employ, or whether he was training the horse and the boys to enable them to deliver orders earlier, is the question. The next effort in this line should be made on a race track.

THE WRECK OF THE DUC DE LORGES.

Sunk in Early Days and Again Located by the Wrecking Steamer Whitelaw.

The obstruction encountered by Captain Whitelaw, while raising the telegraph cable, was the wreck of the old French brig Duc de Lorges, which was sunk one night off the foot of D street, twenty-five or thirty years ago.

The cable was first picked up by the Whitelaw's diver at the foot of Pine street, and following it down the river to D street, it was held fast to the bottom. The cable not yielding, a diver was sent down, and the old wreck was discovered. Captain Flanders, who is one of the oldest residents in the city, was seen by a reporter yesterday. The captain remembers the sinking of the brig very well, and says she contained no cargo of any kind, all the freight being removed before the vessel's final trip. The Duc de Lorges had made several trips across the ocean from sunny France, with fine French wines, but latterly she was not engaged in that trade. Arriving with a miscellaneous cargo she was discharged, and the sailors began reloading the small vessel with flour. The night before the sinking the brig had been filled with very little stock room in a couple of tall trees, near where Flanders' wharf now stands. In the night the tide going down the vessel also sank lower, but the ropes were not long enough to allow her to drop sufficiently, and the water soon began pouring over her opposite sidewalks, which were now on a level with the surface of the river. The owner of the flour was notified, and succeeded in removing his goods from the hold before the weight of the water in the ship pulled in on in the ropes and let the trim craft sink to the bottom.

Captain Flanders says that the story of the Duc's cargo of fine French wines was merely a ruse to get men who had appliances elsewhere, to come and raise the wreck, the successful wrecker to retain as payment for his labors, one-half of the wine reputed to be aboard. As the country was then new, and divers were not to be had, and there being no apparatus on the coast, the city authorities, after having many long and spirited debates, concluded that the sunken vessel with the masts sticking out of the water was an obstruction dangerous to navigation and must be destroyed. Accordingly the masts were cut off, and the captain informed the reporter that over 600 pounds of giant powder was employed in blowing the wreck to pieces.

Captain Whitelaw could not be seen regarding the matter as he is now in San Francisco, being unexpectedly called home the other day by the sudden and serious illness of his son. The diver who made the find, was seen, however, and said that but very little of the wreck could be made out as not much is left except the cabin and a part of the hull, which is embedded in the sand and is covered to a depth of from ten to twelve feet with heavy, water-soaked piles, logs and other drift. The place is rather deep, and the undercurrent was so very swift that the diver was unable to achieve anything, either towards freeing the cable or making a survey of the wreck. A dredger was thrown overboard which succeeded in bringing to the surface several large stiffs of heavy oak—part of the hull—and attached was a number of copper squares of the kind usually put on the bottom of all wooden ocean-going vessels. The copper was detached from the wood and was thrown into the hold, while the pieces of hull were again thrown overboard. Several steamboat men learning of the find, immediately made application for pieces of the oak wood, to be converted into walking sticks, but all were disappointed.

BALLOT REFORM LEAGUE.

Over 700 Signatures Obtained—A Meeting to Be Held This Evening and an Organization Effected.

For several days past papers have been circulated through the city for signatures in behalf of the Australian ballot system. Though but little effort, comparatively, has been put forth, a great many signatures have been obtained. The following have been selected as among the most prominent: R. G. Reed, Ellis G. Hughes, G. E. Withington, Theodore Cushing, J. C. Moreland, E. L. Caldwell, R. K. Warren, R. W. Emmons, Geo. Woodward, J. T. Stewart, H. W. Hogue, Henry Failing, S. Farrell, R. M. McMaster, J. P. Marshall, E. L. Eastham, W. K. Smith, Edward Holman, C. M. Wiley, D. P. Thompson, Frank Dekum, G. A Steel, H. Thielsen, E. S. Kearney, J. E. Sisson, L. L. Hawkins, W. M. Ladd, J. W. Kern, S. B. Eastheteam, J. C. Flanders, R. L. Durham, W. Gadsby, E. A. King, L. Samuels, T. L. Eliot, A. F. Hildreth, W. S. Ladd, J. E. Boynton, H. W. Corbett, H. H. Emmons, J. A. Sladen, H. C. Stratton, A. Roberts, Geo. H. Williams, C. A. Allsky, J. E. Smith, H. W. Scott, E. S. Lafoon, Donald Mackay, C. H. Woodard, S. Hutchinson, John Gill, J. G. Warner, G. G. Ames, John Robertson, D. S. Tuthill, Parke & Lacy Co., L. L. McArthur, E. D. Shattuck, Edward Failing, J. Honeyman, C. E. S. Wood, R. B. Knapp, J. M. Ballmore, H. E. Spaulding, A. W. Oliver, J. K. Arnold, Thomas Robertson, J. K. Gill, J. C. McCaffrey, J. C. Boyle, Henry Dewitt, C. H. Lewis, John Clark, Charles F. Sitton, P. J. Mann, E. W. Allen, H. E. Hayes, A. E. Borthwick, John R. Foster, H. L. Pittock, William McNall, Kenneth Mackay, H. C. Allen, W. E. Robertson, J. Gaston, R. A. Habersham, D. F. Campbell, John Klosterman, J. R. McCraken, E. J. Jeffery, M. C. George, John Gates, H. E. Dosch, E. Lamberson, R. G. Morrow, F. H. Page, E. P. Frank, William Wadhams, T. A. Davis, W. M. Wisdom, Zera Snow, William Palmer, John Funge, J. D. Whiting, Colonel C. F. Beche, G. G. Gammans, John Catlin, R. S. Perkins, G. H. Lamberson.

The first and principal purpose is to organize a Ballot Reform League in Portland. To accomplish that, a meeting of those who signed the roll will be held this (Wednesday) evening. The meeting of course will not be a public one, and tickets of admission have been sent to all members asking their attendance and hearty co-operation. It is expected that a thorough organization will be effected this evening.

HE HAS DISAPPEARED.

Edwin H. Elliott is Missing and Thus Far His Whereabouts is a Mystery.

Edwin H. Elliott, who was appointed ticket exchanger of the Union Pacific in place of the late Thomas Sebastian, disappeared Sunday morning and has not been heard of since. He had been employed for some time in the office of the auditor of the company, and has borne a good character, so far as known. He was, according to the rules of the Union Pacific, chosen from among the employes of the company. He was necessarily entrusted with some $300 in cash and tickets of the value of about $150.

It seems strange that for such a trifling sum a young man would make a criminal of himself and destroy all his prospects for the future, but it appears probable that Elliott has been doing this. His whereabouts are unknown. It may be that he has gone on a spree and is still in the city, and it may be that he is on his way to Victoria. A telegram awaiting him here, offering him a good position on an Eastern railroad. An effort is being made to have the young man brought to the surface and his conduct explained.

THE POWDER CAN EXPLODED.

Mrs. Hans Hansen Severely Burned About the Face and Arms.

Hans Hansen, who is employed at the Cable Company's power house, brought home a can of two pounds of wet powder Monday, which he placed by the sitting-room stove to dry. During the afternoon Mrs. Hansen, while putting some wood in the stove, took a lump of powder out of the can and threw it in the stove.

In an instant there was a loud explosion, which fairly shook the house. The entire can exploded. Mrs. Hansen ran into an adjoining room and threw a blanket over her head, but not until she was severely burned. A gentleman who was passing came to her assistance and extinguished the flames. Dr. C. C. Strong was at once summoned, and he did everything in his power to relieve the injured woman, who was suffering excruciating pain.

Mrs. Hansen was severely burned about the arms and face, and her hair was singed off; still, she will recover.

At the time of the explosion there were several children in the house, but fortunately none of them were burned. Mrs. Hansen realized his mistake in placing the powder near the stove to dry as soon as he returned to his home, and he lays all the blame to his own carelessness.

THE HORSE WANTED THE WHOLE STREET.

The Electric Car Did Not Get Out of the Way and a Collision Resulted.

About 6:30 yesterday evening, an electric car No. 13 was going up second street, it was brought to a sudden standstill between Morrison and Yamhill by a runaway horse that wanted the whole street. The horse, hitched to a laundry delivery wagon, was driven by Grant Pater, of the La Grande laundry, on Third and Mill streets. Usually the horse is as docile as an aged mule, and if any fault ever was to be found, it was in that it lacked the one essential of speed. Last evening, however, Mr. Pater had no fault to find with the horse on this score. Whether it was under the influence of the electric current or whether it expected to get a shock, Mr. Pater does not know, but he does know that through some mysterious agency the horse was impelled forward at the rate of a lightning express. He was unable to check it and as no approach of the electric car he was still powerless to get it off the track.

Just before the horse reached the car, it left the track. The car and wagon then came together with considerable force. One of the shafts and the singletree were broken and then the horse began to kick off the dash board in the regulation Mexican bronco style.

Mr. Pater was thrown out and sustained several painful bruises on one leg. The horse escaped uninjured and several panes of glass were shattered in the front end of the electric car.

Had the car not been at a standstill when the horse dashed into it, the collision would have resulted far more disastrous. The wagon was removed from the track and then the car proceeded on its way while old Mr. Pater gathered himself together and set out for his home.

THE ARION SOCIETY'S NEW HALL.

Brief Description of the Architecture and Interior Appointments.

The grand concert given at the new Arion hall Monday evening, by the combined German singing societies of Portland, marked the opening of the finest concert and dance hall in the city. It ranks among the other halls of the city as the Marquam Grand among the theaters. It is, without question, the most elegant and complete hall, suitable for concerts, balls or theatricals, Portland ever had, and the Arion society may well feel proud that they are in possession of it.

The main auditorium is 60x100 feet, having a stage 26 feet at the north end. The gallery is 8 feet wide along the two sides of the hall and 14 feet deep at the back end. The hall will easily seat 1000 persons, and by a little crowding room can be made for at least 200 more. The white maple floor is as smooth as glass, and makes as excellent a dancing surface as is to be found in any dancing academy in the city. The hall is lighted with beautifully ornamented chandeliers, having all told 160 gas burners.

The seating arrangement is the most perfect for a hall that is intended to serve so many different purposes. The chairs are made by a manufacturing company of Minneapolis, being a new patent on the old style folding opera chairs. They are so conveniently constructed that a whole row can be shoved together and slid under the stage whenever it is desired to clear the hall for dancing purposes.

The stage being supplied with drop curtains, seven sets of scenery, footlights and two rows of lights in the flies, is supremely adapted for theatrical performances. The decorations are rich and elegant, having been painted by Mr. Moses, the artist, who decorated the steamer of the Marquam Grand. Nine hundred and fifty yards of canvas were used for the stage settings.

The drop curtain is a most beautiful piece of art in itself. It represents the castle of Lichtenstein near Wirtemberg, South Germany. The stately castle, the rugged hills, German peasants, soft blue sky, the limpid stream below and a small village hugging its banks in the distance combine to produce a most pleasing and beautiful effect.

Mr. P. Wetzenser who superintended the work of decorating the interior, says that the artistic features of the hall alone entailed an expense of nearly $7000. Connected with the main hall are several other apartments which the Arion society will make use of. Across the hall from the main entrance is a reception room 50x24 feet, which will be used by the members for practicing and rehearsals. It is furnished with tables, chairs, a music cabinet and a few pictures. Most noticeable among the wall decorations, is a large frame containing photos of the sixteen original members of the Arion society. Adjoining this room on the south is a barroom 30x16 feet. This is entirely separate from the main hall.

The ladies' parlor is an elegantly furnished apartment 28x22 feet. It is carpeted with rich Brussels carpets, the chairs and sofas are covered with plush and an elegant French mirror stands against one of the walls. The parlor opens into the main auditorium. On the floor above the society have several rooms which are used for card-playing and billiards.

All of the doors open outward from the auditorium and gallery. Another convenient arrangement usually wanting in similar halls is found in the location of stairways. Any part of the house can be reached from the large hallway at the head of the stairs. The main auditorium is reached through large folding doors, and separate stairways lead direct to the gallery and stage.

Everything considered there is no hall in the city so complete in all its appointments and so well adapted for different purposes and it will prove a desirable assembly room for many public gatherings.

HAS ENTERED UPON HIS DUTIES.

Franklin P. Mays Is Now the United States District Attorney for Oregon.

When the United States circuit court convened yesterday, Hon. Franklin Pierce Mays was present with his commission as United States attorney, and when Judge Sabin had taken his seat Hon. L. L. McArthur, whose term of office expired yesterday, stated that Mr. Mays desired to assume the duties of his office. He therefore moved that Mr. Mays's commission be enrolled upon the court journal and that the oath of office be administered.

Judge Sabin said that while his experience with Mr. McArthur in an official way had been very short, he desired to express his personal thanks for the close attentions, kindnesses, for which he was indebted to the retiring attorney.

"Judging from my observation and experience during my short stay upon this bench, I said the court, "I do not think the duties of your office could have been discharged more ably, or with greater satisfaction to all, and if your successor but does as well, he will be entitled to the thanks of the court and the public."

Mr. McArthur replied in his usual eloquent manner that he was inspired with feelings of great pleasure to know that by his labors he had won the approval of the court and people. He paid a flowery tribute to the ability of his successor, whom he characterized as a gift of fortune to the administration. He tendered his thanks to the court and the officers, and expressed deep regret that Judge Deady was not present, and hoped sincerely that ere long that gentleman would return much benefited in health, and would spend many more years upon the bench where he has presided for so long. Then, extending a hand of congratulation to Mr. Mays, Mr. McArthur dropped his political title and took his seat among the "plain, blunt" men who had listened while he spoke.

Mr. Mays then took the oath of office, and the usual routine of the court was proceeded with. Mr. McArthur has accepted a partnership with the law firm of Northup & Bronaugh, and will permanently reside in this city.

THE TRAGEDY AT RAINIER.

Further Particulars Concerning the Murder of the Fisherman Last Friday.

United States Inspectors Edwards and Wetmore returned from Rainier yesterday, having inspected the towboat John West. Captain Edwards gave a reporter further particulars of the shooting that occurred between fishermen a short distance above Rainier last Friday. A couple of men owned a set net in a sloough of the Columbia and imagined they were losing fish. One of them concealed himself in the thick brush, which there abounds, at close quarters, and proceeded to wait and watch the thief. Shortly after dark another fisherman hove in sight, en route to his own fishing grounds, and, noticing some fish on the bank which were liable to fall back into the water, he instructed his partner to throw them farther up on the bank. No sooner had the boatman reached out and grabbed the fish than three shots were fired in quick succession from the ambush. One of the bullets fell short and dropped into the water a few feet from the boat, another one grazed the head of the frightened assistant, and the third struck the fisherman in the right eye and came out near the left ear, death being instantaneous. Both the owners of the net have been arrested, and conclusive evidence has been received against one of them. Public sentiment runs high, as both men are noted toughs, and extreme measures may be resorted to. The name of the murdered man could not be recalled, but he is said to have stood high in circles of his class. He leaves a wife and four children, who are left in destitute circumstances.

THE PACIFIC POSTAL'S CABLE.

Mr. Jeff Hayes Unearths a Long Lost Cable, Worth About $3000.

The Pacific Postal's new telegraph cable arrived from San Francisco on the State of California, and was laid yesterday afternoon, so that the wires were working by 5:30 o'clock. The cable, which was in the river, was cut at the place where it is held to the bottom, and about 300 feet of the new was then spliced into the old.

Mr. Hayes went down to the steamship dock, Monday afternoon, to see about his new wire, and, finding that it was being loaded on a truck, he remembered that some three or four years ago the company had lost a big reel of cable somewhere in that locality and began to rummage around, though scarcely expecting to discover anything. Finding a hard subject now stuck in the mud left by the recent high water, Mr. Hayes rustled up a chain, and proceeded to grapple about, and succeeded in excavating enough to discover on one end of a big wooden affair like this; the Postal's address, and a few minutes later assembled himself and the dock officials by locating the lost reel of cable, which is long enough to more than twice span the river. Although the discovery was made too late to do the company any present good, the find represents not less than $3000.

During the time that the cable has been disabled, an independent line was established in East Portland, and a corps of a dozen boys were employed to carry messages, making rips every ten minutes, but now that the cable has been completed, and direct communication restored, twelve boys are out of a job.

THE THEATERS LAST EVENING.

Good Houses Greet the Various Attractions at the Amusement Resorts.

At the Marquam Grand last evening the audience was equally as large and enthusiastic as on the first night, and the "Pearl of Pekin" went with a snap and verve that caught the audience from the first to the last act.

Louis Harrison is simply infimitable in his impersonation of the Chinese mandarin, Ty-Phoo, and he keeps the house in roars from the start to the finish.

John C. Leach is by all odds the best Chinaman ever seen on a Portland stage and the rest of the company make up a performance that can not fail to please throughout the two hours and a half that it lasts.

NEXT WEEK'S ATTRACTIONS.

Sarasate and D'Albert are coming. The mere announcement that they are to give two concerts on Monday and Tuesday at the Marquam opera house, is enough to arouse the interest not alone of the musical amateur, but also the general public. Both Sarasate and D'Albert are great musicians indeed, the greatest in their line in the civilized world. They have created a positive furore in this country, and never has so strong a combination been placed before the musical public.

Pablo de Sarasate as a violinist stands at the very head of his profession. There are none better, and certainly none who possess the divine spark in so great a degree as does this celebrated Spaniard. He is said to play the violin in a manner altogether indescribable. It is absurd to bring the ordinary lines of a critical standard to bear on him. He is a genius, with the fire of a Pegasus and the digital excellence that years of practice and unremitting attention only can bring forth. He carries his soul and ecstacy with him by the mere tones of his beautiful instrument, over which his power of control is perfect and almost magical.

In the same degree of excellence and in his line is Eugene D'Albert on the piano. He has absolutely created a sensation wherever he has appeared. Whatever can be gained from the notes he has received on both continents tends to show that no cradle there manifest a lack of genius—none ever a wonderful playing. If only half of what is said of D'Albert is true he will not fail to astonish his hearers. He is described as being simply marvelous, and his great facility and technical perfection have been the wonder and talk of all the musical critics of the world. Although quite young he has mastered every difficulty, and indeed has rated many now ones for others to master who will follow him, although it will be many years, centuries perhaps, before another pianist like D'Albert will be heard in public. At any rate the concert will be one of great interest.

Aside from the two great artists named, Mme. Berthe Thex, a celebrated French pianiste, who has given concerts in all the larger cities of Europe, will be of the party, and it goes without saying that this concert will draw out all that is fashionable, cultured and refined in this city.

Cordray's Theater.

"Divorce," a beautiful play, has caught the popular fancy at this house, and the audience last night was larger than on the first night.

The regular Wednesday matinee will be given this afternoon, when "Love's Sacrifice" will be presented, as well as the regular matinee performance.

New Park Theater.

A fair audience greeted Mr. Bandmann last night to witness his second rendition of "Hamlet," at the New Park Theatre. Mr. Bandmann's Hamlet is a creditable piece of acting and deserves the recognition he is receiving. The company was such as much better advantage last night than on the previous evening. To-night, "Merchant of Venice."

BEFORE THE BLIND GODDESS.

Judge Sabin Announces Decisions in the Military Wagon Road Cases.

Balston's Damage Suit Against the P. & W. V. Railway—Two Divorces Granted—Incorporations—Marriage Licenses, Etc.

Judge Sawyer's decision in the cases of the United States against The Dalles Military Wagon Road Company, and the Oregon Central Military Wagon Road Company, were announced by Judge Sabin in the United States circuit court yesterday. The suits were brought to forfeit the land grants of the companies on the ground that the roads had not been built as required by law. The court dismissed the bills and the persons now seized of the lands included in the grant are doubtless happy.

In the State and County Courts.

Marriage license have been issued to Thomas Duffy and Mrs. Mary E. Sivey, Charles Owens and Minnie Hickey.

The Oregon and Washington Fire Proofing Company incorporated yesterday, over the signatures of Charles C. Gillman, James Steel and S. M. Smith, with a capital stock of $200,000. It will sell the International Terra Cotta Lumber Company's porous earthern wares for fire proofing and building purposes.

Alexander L. P. Anderson, Scandinavian, and Erasmus Korbus, German, have filed intentions of United States citizenship.

Judge Stearns granted a divorce yesterday to Eudora Roenell, allowing her a separation from Charles H. Roenell, to whom she was married at Minneapolis in 1884, and permitting her to resume her maiden name of Neal. Failure to support and abusive language were her chief grounds of complaint.

The claim of Otto Kleeman against the estate of Samuel Rosenblatt, occupied a good share of Judge Catlin's time at yesterday's probate session. The hearing was continued.

While waiting for the Olds jury to come in yesterday afternoon, Mr. Joseph Simon arose in his seat in Judge Stearns's court and said: "May it please the court, I filed papers here the other day, instituting divorce proceedings in an action entitled McDonald vs. McDonald. Both the interested parties came to my office this morning, kissed and made up. I should like to ask permission to withdraw the complaint." The request was granted.

The grand jury is holding daily sessions, despite the absence of the district attorney and their bailiff, on account of the Sandy Olds trial. A number of indictments will be returned to-day, covering the small cases that have been accumulating from the municipal courts.

The suit of D. W. Ralston against the P. & W. V. R. R. Co., was on trial before a jury in Judge Shattuck's court yesterday. The plaintiff alleges that while riding on one of the defendant's trains, near Cosvego, in March, 1888, an accident occurred to him, injuring him in the sum of $11,000. The case went to the jury at a late hour, and the verdict will be announced in court this morning.

The Municipal Courts.

A number of petty thieves were arraigned in the police court yesterday afternoon, but hearing in most of the cases was continued another day.

H. Rush, the man charged with stealing gas-light globes from the Marquam Grand opera house, had a partial hearing. The case had to be continued owing to the absence of a material witness for the state.

The case of Henry Howard, the barber, accused of stealing $35 from A. Pranzal, was continued, owing to the absence of the principal prosecuting witness. If he does not show up to-day the case may be dismissed, as the defendant has lingered in jail several days already.

The case of Fred Smith, charged with stealing a clock from the store of W. F. Shanahan, was also continued.

E. J. McDonald and C. N. Ross were fined $5 and $10 respectively for being drunk, and John Buckley and Thomas Kennedy were fined $10 each for roaming the streets after 12 o'clock midnight.

On Chung, a Chinaman who undertook to drive cattle through the streets during hours prohibited by the ordinance, was fined $5.

L. Jacobs, will have an examination this afternoon on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon on Theodore Ruf, at whom he fired a pistol shot last Sunday night, and on another charge of carrying a concealed weapon.

CHARGED WITH CRIMINAL INTIMACY.

Henry Galena was yesterday arrested at the instance of Joseph Furch on a charge of criminal intimacy with a woman designated in the complaint as Jane Doe. Furch alleges that Galena and the woman took a room at his lodging-house, on Third street, near Taylor, as man and wife. He afterwards ascertained that they were not married, and as he is keeping a respectable house he caused their arrest. The case will be buzzed into by Justice Biles this afternoon.

FINED FOR ASSAULT.

In Justice Biles's court yesterday afternoon John Spencer, a sailor, was fined $25 for assaulting Henry Cronin on board the ship Charles Cotesworth. The two men got into a quarrel over some trivial matter, and Spencer's temper got the better of him.

James Lasher, colored, was fined $5 in the same court for striking Allen Ford.

The Day's Docket.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.

United States vs. Dalles Military Wagon Road Company et al.; plea to bill sustained and bill dismissed.

United States vs. Oregon Central Military Road Company; plea sustained and bill dismissed.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT NO. 1.

Thomas Harting vs. North Pacific Lumber Company; verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $370; defendant allowed ten days to move for a new trial.

Benton vs. D. L. Stearns; case dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

Brady vs. D. L. Stearns; case dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

D'Shea Bros. vs. Richard Perkins, Jr.; judgment by default.

George W. Heath vs. C. W. Miller; plaintiff allowed five days further time to file amended complaint.

D. W. Ralston vs. P. & W. V. Railway Company; on trial.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT NO. 2.

State vs. Charles Olds; verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree.

Paulina Roenell vs. Charles H. Roenell; trial had and decree of divorce granted.

Cunningham vs. Cunningham; trial had and decree of divorce granted.

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Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the office of the auditor and police judge of the city of Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, until Monday, March 7th, 1890, for Astoria Municipal Bonds to the amount of $22,000, to be issued in denominations to suit, said bonds to draw interest at the rate of 6 per cent, payable semi-annually, bonds to run 20 years, and are issued for the purpose of retiring $8000 outstanding and outstanding, and purchasing two lots for fire purposes.

Value of assessable property in the city, $5,000,000.

Value of property owned by the city $11,000.

Present indebtedness, including bonds and exclusive of cash in the treasury, $26,000.

Bids should be addressed to T. S. Towers, auditor and police judge, Astoria, Oregon.

By order of the common council.

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